

W&T OFFSHORE INC  
Form SC 13D/A  
April 11, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13D**

**Under the Securities Exchange Act Of 1934**

**(Amendment No. 1)\***

**W&T Offshore, Inc.**

(Name of Issuer)

**COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.00001 PER SHARE**

(Title of Class of Securities)

**92922P106**

(CUSIP Number)

**Jerome F. Freel**

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(Name, Address and Telephone number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

April 10, 2008

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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1. Names of Reporting Person.

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above person (entities only).

Jerome F. Freel

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group

(a)  x

(b)  ..

3. SEC Use Only

4. Source of Funds

PF

5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) ..

6. Citizenship or Place of Organization

United States

7. Sole Voting Power

Number of

Shares 5,087,270

8. Shared Voting Power

Beneficially

Owned by

Each 0

9. Sole Dispositive Power

Reporting

Person 5,087,270

10. Shared Dispositive Power

With

0

11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person

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5,087,270

12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)

6.66% (1)

14. Type of Reporting Person

IN

(1) Based upon 76,369,123 shares of Common Stock outstanding on March 26, 2008.

Introduction

This Amendment No. 1 to Schedule 13D (this Amendment) amends the Schedule 13D initially filed on February 11, 2005 (the Schedule 13D).

Preliminary Note: The Reporting Person is filing this Schedule 13D/A with respect to the Common Stock, par value \$.00001 per share (the Common Stock), of W&T Offshore, Inc. (the Company). This Amendment to the Schedule 13D is being filed to report that Jerome F. Freel (Mr. Freel) is no longer beneficial owner of certain shares reported in his initial Schedule 13D filing.

**ITEM 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer**

Items 5(a), (b) and (c) are hereby amended in their entirety to read as follows:

(a) There are 76,369,123 shares of Common Stock outstanding on March 26, 2008.

As of April 10, 2008, assuming 76,369,123 shares outstanding, Mr. Freel beneficially owns an aggregate of 5,087,270 shares of Common Stock, representing, in the aggregate, approximately 6.66% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.

(b) Mr. Freel has the sole power to vote or to direct the vote and has the sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 5,087,270 shares of the Common Stock he beneficially owns as indicated above.

(c) The Reporting Person made the following sales, each of which were through brokerage transactions, in the last 60 days.

On March 5, 2008, sale of 300,000 shares at \$33.5278 per share.

On March 6, 2008, sale of 331,700 shares at \$32.6474 per share.

On March 7, 2008, sale of 140,000 shares at \$32.2809 per share.

On March 7, 2008, sale of 228,300 shares at \$32.0364 per share.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) Not applicable.

**ITEM 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer**

None.

**ITEM 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits**

None.

**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: April 10, 2008

By: /s/ Jerome F. Freel  
Jerome F. Freel

The original statement shall be signed by each person on whose behalf the statement is filed or his authorized representative. If the statement is signed on behalf of a person by his authorized representative (other than an executive officer or general partner of the filing person), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of such person shall be filed with the statement: provided, however, that a power of attorney for this purpose which is already on file with the Commission may be incorporated by reference. The name and any title of each person who signs the statement shall be typed or printed beneath his signature.

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