FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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of Section 30(ii) of the investment Company Act of 1940												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHLUMBERGER LTD /NV/	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HANOVER COMPRESSOR CO / [HC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner										
(Last) (First) (Middle) 153 EAST 53 STREET 57TH FLOOR	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/22/2005	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)										
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022-4624	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										
(City) (State) (Zip)												

(Street) NEW YORK NY (City) (State)	10022-4624 (Zip)						X	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	ble I - Non-Derivative S	Securities Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of,	or Ben	eficially	Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			Acquired (D) (Instr	I (A) or . 3, 4 and	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		300	D	\$12.77	6,815,631	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		2,800	D	\$12.82	6,812,831	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		5,000	D	\$12.85	6,807,831	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		4,600	D	\$12.86	6,803,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		4,000	D	\$12.88	6,799,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		2,600	D	\$12.87	6,796,631	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		5,000	D	\$12.89	6,791,631	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		3,400	D	\$12.83	6,788,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		4,300	D	\$12.84	6,783,931	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		700	D	\$12.8	6,783,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		300	D	\$12.78	6,782,931	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		100	D	\$12.79	6,782,831	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		1,800	D	\$12.9	6,781,031	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Commmon Stock	07/22/2005		s		700	D	\$12.93	6,780,331	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		300	D	\$12.94	6,780,031	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		100	D	\$12.92	6,779,931	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		S		100	D	\$12.91	6,779,831	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	07/22/2005		s		900	D	\$12.81	6,778,931	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Disposed Of		es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(<i>i</i>	A) or D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			07/2	2/2005				S		200		D	\$12.95	6,	778,731	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock			07/2:	2/2005				S		500		D	\$12.96	6,	778,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock		07/2	22/2005				S		2,500		D	\$12.98	6,	775,731	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock			07/2	2/2005			S		3,400		D	\$12.99 6,		772,331	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock		07/2	2/2005				S		1,100		D	\$12.97		771,231	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock		07/2	2/2005				S		2,600		D	\$13	6,7	768,631	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock		07/2	/22/2005				S		900		D	\$13.01	6,7	767,731	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock		07/2	22/2005				S		600		D	\$12.59 6,		767,131	I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock		07/2	22/2005				S		200		D	\$12.61	12.61 6,766		I	By STC ⁽¹⁾		
Common	Common Stock			07/22/2005				S		300		D	\$12.62	6,766,631		I	By STC ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock													1,430,304		I	By SS S.A. ⁽²⁾		
Common Stock												3	66,158	I	By SOHL ⁽³⁾			
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Derivative Conversion Date Execution Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deem Execution	Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number 6		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye		able and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (I and 4)		8. I De Se (In		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Nui of	ount mber ares				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Schlumberger Technology Corporation, a 100 percent wholly-owned subsidiary.
- 2. Schlumberger Surenco S.A., a 100 percent wholly-owned indirect subsidiary.
- 3. Schlumberger Oilfield Holdings Ltd., a 100 percent wholly-owned indirect subsidiary.

/s/Ellen Summer, 07/25/2005 Schlumberger Limited

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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