JACOBSEN J CHRIS

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JACOBSEN J CHRIS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

VINTAGE PETROLEUM INC

[VPI]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

(Zin)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2006

X_ Officer (give title below) Vice President-U.S. Operations

Director

Other (specify

10% Owner

110 WEST SEVENTH STREET, **SUITE 2300**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

TULSA, OK 74119

(City)

(City)	(State) (.	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3.	4. Securities Acquired			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	(Wollin Day Tear)	any	Code				Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(,,		Owned Following Paparted	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					(A) or		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(mstr. 5 tile 1)			
Common Stock	01/30/2006		D	20,000	D	<u>(1)</u>	0	D		
Common Stock	01/30/2006		D	2,572 (2)	D	(1)	0	I	By 401(k) Plan	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	ation Date		t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
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									Amount		
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Numbe			
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

JACOBSEN J CHRIS 110 WEST SEVENTH STREET, SUITE 2300 **TULSA, OK 74119**

Vice President-U.S. Operations

Signatures

Michael F. Meimerstorf, Attorney-in-Fact for J. Chris Jacobsen

01/31/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
 - Disposed of pursuant to the merger of Vintage Petroleum, Inc. with and into Occidental Transaction 1, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Occidental Petroleum Corporation ("Occidental") (the "Merger"), in exchange for the per share merger consideration consisting of
- \$20.00 in cash and 0.42 of a share of common stock of Occidental. The closing price of Occidental's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on January 30, 2006, the effective date of the Merger, was \$94.47 per share.
- (2) Information is based on a plan statement dated as of January 23, 2006.

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