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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Johnson David TX Issuer Symbol Nalco Holding CO [NLC] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1601 WEST DIEHL ROAD 02/09/2010 below) President EAME (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-1198 Person

(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deri	vative Sec	urities	S Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Performance Shares (1)	02/09/2010		A	297	A	\$0	100,995	D	
Restricted Shares (2)	02/09/2010		A	3,767	A	\$0	104,762	D	

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 21.98	02/09/2010		A	2,530	12/31/2010	02/09/2020	Common Stock	2,530
Stock Options	\$ 21.98	02/09/2010		A	2,530	12/31/2011	02/09/2020	Common Stock	2,530
Stock Options	\$ 21.98	02/09/2010		A	2,531	12/31/2012	02/09/2020	Common Stock	2,531
Stock Options	\$ 21.98	02/09/2010		A	2,531	12/31/2013	02/09/2020	Common Stock	2,531

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Johnson David TX

1601 WEST DIEHL ROAD President EAME

NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-1198

Signatures

/s/ R. Tor Liimatainen, as Attorney in Fact 02/11/2010

**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).
- (1) Shares earned upon partial satisfaction of the performance criteria for the Performance Share Program 2008-2010 cycle of the Nalco Holding Company 2004 Stock Incentive Plan which will vest on 12/31/2010, subject to continued employment at vest date.

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- (2) Granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated Nalco Holding Company 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The shares will vest on 2/28/2013, subject to continued employment at vesting date.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated Nalco Holding Company 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, 2010 Stock Option Award.

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