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ODYSSEY MARINE EXPLORATION INC Form 4 January 24, 2008 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LACKMAN GEORGE Issuer Symbol **ODYSSEY MARINE** (Check all applicable) EXPLORATION INC [OMEX] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 17906 SIMMS ROAD 01/22/2008 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Dav/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting ODESSA, FL 33556 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) V Amount Code (D) Price Common 01/22/2008 M 6.532 Α \$ 2.5 138.782 D Stock Common \$ 01/22/2008 S 5,000 D 133,782 D 5.2635 Stock Common 01/22/2008 S 1.532 D 132,250 D Stock 5.3593 Common 01/23/2008 400 \$ 2.5 D Μ A 132,650 Stock Common 01/23/2008 S 400 D \$ 5.35 D 132,250 Stock

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onof D Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	urities uired or oosed of r. 3, 4,	ve 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 Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.5	01/22/2008		М		6,532	03/18/2005	03/18/2008	Common Stock	6,532
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.5	01/23/2008		М		400	03/18/2005	03/18/2005	Common Stock	400

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
L O	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LACKMAN GEORGE 17906 SIMMS ROAD ODESSA, FL 33556	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ David A. Morris, Power of Attorney	01/24/2008						

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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