BROOKS JERRY M

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Ad BROOKS JE | | orting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DRIL-QUIP INC [DRQ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| 13550 HEMPSTEAD HIGHWAY | | | (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2005 | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer | | | |
| (Street) HOUSTON, TX 77040 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ities Acqu | iired, Disposed of | , or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-------------|-------------|--------|--|--|---|---------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| ~ | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2005 | | M | 15,000 | A | \$ 24 | 15,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2005 | | S | 15,000 | D | \$ 50.25 | 0 | 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/ | ate | 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) | \$ 24 | 12/21/2005 | | M | 15,000 | <u>(1)</u> | 10/27/2007 | Common Stock | 15,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BROOKS JERRY M 13550 HEMPSTEAD HIGHWAY HOUSTON, TX 77040

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jerry M. 12/22/2005 Brooks

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) The stock options became exercisable in increments on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant. The grant date was October 28, 1997.

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