Nalco Holding CO Form 4 February 12, 2008

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1(b).

Common

Stock

02/11/2008

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Landsman S	ddress of Reportephen N	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Nalco Holding CO [NLC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
1601 WEST DIEHL ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 02/11/2008	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Gen Cnsl, Corp Sec			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NAPERVIL	LE, IL 6056	3-1198	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	ies Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(A)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
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(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Code V Amount

 $X^{(1)}$ 30,968 <u>(2)</u> 158,853 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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Nu	mber of	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	tiorDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities Acquired		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	str. 8) (A) or Disposed of					
	Derivative				(D)					
	Security				(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number
				Code V	(A)	(D)				of Shares
Exchange Right (right to buy) (3)	<u>(2)</u>	02/11/2008		X <u>(1)</u>		18,595,000 (1)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	30,968

Reporting Owners

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

Landsman Stephen N 1601 WEST DIEHL ROAD NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-1198

VP, Gen Cnsl, Corp Sec

Signatures

/s/ Filomena Trombino as Attorney in Fact

02/12/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- On February 11, 2008, pursuant to the exchange rights of such units, the Reporting Person transferred the following membership units of Nalco LLC (the direct parent company of Nalco Holding Company) in exchange for shares of Nalco Holding Company common stock owned by Nalco LLC: 6,970,000 vested units of his previously reported class B units, 6,975,000 vested units of his previously reported class C units and 4,650,000 vested units of his previously reported class D units.
- Class B units are exchangeable at a ratio of 599.365 units for each share of Nalco Holding Company common stock; class C units are exchangeable at a ratio of 601.528 units for each share of Nalco Holding Company common stock; and class D units are exchangeable at a ratio of 600.444 units for each share of Nalco Holding Company common stock.
 - The Reporting Person has the right to transfer his Nalco LLC class B, class C and class D units that have vested, in exchange for shares of Nalco Holding Company common stock owned by Nalco LLC. Class B units, class C units and class D units will vest for continuing
- (3) employees at certain dates and are subject to earlier vesting in some circumstances based upon reaching certain performance requirements as described in the Management Members Agreements, which are filed as Exhibits 10.30 to 10.39 to the Registration Statement on Form S-1 of Nalco Holding Company (File No. 333-118583) (the "Management Members Agreements").
 - Class B units will vest in five equal annual investments on each December 31, beginning on December 31, 2004, subject to certain restrictions. Class C units will vest on the 8th anniversary of the date on which they are sold to a manager, subject to certain restrictions, but may vest earlier over the next five years, beginning on December 31, 2004, if Nalco Holding Company meets certain EBITDA targets. Class D units will vest on the 10th anniversary of the date on which they are sold to a manager, subject to certain restrictions, but may vest earlier over the next five years, beginning on December 31, 2004, if Nalco Holding Company meets certain EBITDA targets. See the Management Members Agreements.

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Subject to the exercise of a call right, for so long as certain termination events (see the Management Members Agreements) have not occurred with respect to the Reporting Person, there is no expiration of the right to exchange Nalco LLC units for Nalco Holding Company common stock.

- (6) Not applicable.
- (7) Following the reported transaction, the Reporting Person owns 6,980,000 class B units, 6,975,000 class C units and 4,650,000 class D units of Nalco LLC, which have the exchange rights described herein.

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