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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

O Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.
See Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				3.	I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)	
	ISENBERG, EUGENE M		NABO	NABORS INDUSTRIES LTD. (NBR)					
	(Last) (First) (Middle)								
	C/O NABORS CORPORATE SERVICES 515 WEST GREENS ROAD SUITE 1200	4.	02/200	tatement for Month/Day/Year 2/2003		5.	If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		
	(Street)								
		6.	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check All Applicable)		7.	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
	HOUSTON, TX, 77067		X	Director o		10% Owner		X	Form Filed by One Reporting Person
	(City) (State) (Zip)		X	Officer (give	title be	rlow)		0	Form Filed by More
			o	Other (specify	y below	<i>י</i>)			than One Reporting Person

CEO-CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

Reminder:	Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
*	If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see instruction 4(b)(v).

	Та	ble I Non-Derivati	ve Securities A	Acquired, D	ispose	d of, or l	Beneficially Own	ned	
1. Title of 2 Security (Instr. 3)	Transaction 2 Date (Month/Day/Year)	A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	J. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock							1,674,268	D	
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Security (Instr. 3)	e 2. Conversion or Exercise 3 Price of Derivative Security	Transaction 3.6 Date (Month/Day/Year)	A. Deemed Execution 4. Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction 5. Code (Instr. 8)		r Disposed of (D)
				Code V	(A)	(D)
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$38.75	02/20/03	02/20/03	A (1)	950,000	

	Table 1	II Deri			red, Disposed of, or Beneficially onts, options, convertible securitie		
6. Date Exercise Expiration D (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10.Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11.Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Date F Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
02/20/04	02/20/13	Common	950,000	\$38.75	950,000	D (2)	
E-land discontinue	e D						
Name: ISENBI C/O NABORS 515 WEST GR SUITE 1200 HOUSTON TX	ERG, EUG CORPORA EENS ROA	ENE M ATE SER	RVICES				
Statement for M Issuer Name: N				VBR)			
Note: 1 Grant on the first ann				on exempt u	nder Rule 16b-3. The options vest	in three (3) equal annua	al installments beginning
Note: 2 Owned grantor, trustee			y through ce	rtain trusts, c	defined benefit plans and individua	l retirement accounts o	f which Mr. Isenberg is

02-24-03

/s/ EUGENE M. ISENBERG

**Signature of Reporting Date Person

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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