GILBERTSON RYAN RANDALL

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Form 5

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Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GILBERTSON RYAN RANDALL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHERN OIL & GAS, INC. [NOG]				I	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	· / · · ·	(iddle) 3. S (M 12	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2010			-	Director 10% Owner Specify below)				
315 MANITOBA AVE, 200											
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				(6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
Thed(world#Day/Tear)							(check applicable line)				
WAYZATA (City)	, MN 55391 (State) (Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	uritie	I	_X_ Form Filed by Form Filed by Person ired, Disposed o	More than One R	eporting	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Da any (Month/Day/	ate, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	ties l (A) o l of (D	r)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of	
Common Stock	02/16/2010	Â		G	1,000	D	\$0	731,720	D	Â	
Common Stock	03/03/2010	Â		G	500	D	\$ 0	731,220	D	Â	
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GILBERTSON RYAN RANDALL 315 MANITOBA AVE 200 WAYZATA, MN 55391	Â	Â	PRESIDENT	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Ryan R.
Gilbertson

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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