#### **VERITAS DGC INC**

Form 4

January 17, 2007

# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CARROLL LOREN K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

VERITAS DGC INC [VTS]

(Check all applicable)

10300 TOWN PARK DRIVE

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

01/12/2007

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

HOUSTON, TX 77072

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amou
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Secur
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)		

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	Derivative Security		or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nui of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.11	01/12/2007	D <u>(1)</u>			10,000	(2)	03/28/2008	Common Stock	10
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.19	01/12/2007	D <u>(1)</u>			5,000	01/06/2004	01/06/2009	Common Stock	5,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.94	01/12/2007	D <u>(1)</u>			6,000	10/17/2005	10/17/2010	Common Stock	6,

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>r</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CARROLL LOREN K 10300 TOWN PARK DRIVE HOUSTON, TX 77072	X						

# **Signatures**

Larry L. Worden, by power of attorney 01/16/2007

\*\*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).
  - Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of September 4, 2006 (the "Merger Agreement") by and among Compagnie Generale de Geophysique ("CGG"), Volnay Acquisition Co. I, Volnay Acquisition Co. II and Veritas DGC Inc. ("Veritas"), immediately prior to the effective time of merger, each stock option granted by Veritas to purchase shares of Veritas Common Stock
- (1) pursuant to the stock option plan that is outstanding and unexercised immediately prior to the effective time of the merger, whether or not vested, will be cancelled and converted into the right to receive, for each share of Veritas Common Stock subject to such stock option immediately prior to such cancellation and conversion, an amount in cash equal to the excess, if any, of \$85.50 over the exercise price per share under such stock option immediately prior to such cancellation and conversion (less any applicable withholding taxes).
- (2) This Option provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning 3/28/2003.

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