

DOLPHIN OFFSHORE PARTNERS LP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SALAS PETER E

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 P.O. BOX 16867
 (Street)
 FERNDANDINA, FL 32095
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TENGASCO INC [TGC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. 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)
Common Stock	12/31/2012		S	V	Amount: 218,000 Price: \$ 1.1 (1)	0	D
Common Stock	12/31/2012		S	V	Amount: 15,458,321 Price: \$ 1.1 (2)	5,381,171	I By Affiliate Partnership

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.64	01/02/2013		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 0.73	10/01/2012		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 0.81	07/02/2012		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 1.07	04/02/2012		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 0.75	01/03/2012		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.72	10/03/2011		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 0.84	07/06/2011		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to buy	\$ 1.16	04/01/2011		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	6,250
Option Right to Buy	\$ 1.08	03/17/2011		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	25,000
Option Right to buy	\$ 0.43	02/08/2010		J ⁽³⁾		1		Common Stock	25,000

Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.7	01/08/2009	J ⁽³⁾	1	01/08/2009	01/07/2014	Common Stock	25,000	\$
Option Right to buy	\$ 1.44	06/03/2008	J ⁽³⁾	1	06/03/2008	06/02/2013	Common Stock	25,000	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SALAS PETER E P.O. BOX 16867 FERNDANDINA, FL 32095	X	X		
DOLPHIN OFFSHORE PARTNERS LP 129 EAST 17TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10003		X		

Signatures

s/Peter E Salas 01/03/2013

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Dolphin Offshore
Partners LP 01/03/2013

__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).

(1) Shares were sold in a private transaction to SSB Ventures LLC, a Delaware limited liability company in which Peter E. Salas is a member, for the consideration of a promissory note dated December 31, 2012 by SSB Ventures LLC in amount of \$239,800. Pursuant to the SSB Ventures LLC company agreement, Peter E. Salas retains the power to direct the voting by SSB Ventures LLC of the shares sold to it by Peter E. Salas.

(2) Shares were sold in a private transaction to SSB Ventures LLC, a Delaware limited liability company in which Dolphin Offshore Partners, L.P. is a member, for the consideration of a promissory note dated December 31, 2012 by SSB Ventures LLC in amount of \$17,004,153.10. Pursuant to the SSB Ventures LLC company agreement, Dolphin Offshore Partners, L.P. retains the power to direct the voting by SSB Ventures LLC of the shares sold to it by Dolphin Offshore Partners L.P.. Peter E. Salas, the Chairman of the Company's Board of Directors, is the sole shareholder and controlling person of Dolphin Mgmt. Services, Inc., the managing general partner of Dolphin Offshore Partners, L.P. This sale neither results in a change of control of the Company nor any effect upon management of the Company.

(3) Grant of option pursuant to Tengasco's Stock Incentive Plan.

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