FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PEARSON JAMES MICHAEL   |   |  |   |          | Orio                             | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Orion Marine Group Inc [ ORN ] |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             | Relationship<br>eck all appl<br>X Direct  | ,  | g Per   | rson(s) to Is  |                         |  |
|--|---|--|---|----------|----------------------------------|--|---------|---|---|----------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------|--|
| (Last)   | (Fi   | rst) (                                     | Middle)                                     |          |                                  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2010                |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             | X Office below  | r (give title  |   | Other (specify below)  |                         |  |
| 12000 AEROSPACE DR. SUITE 300  |   |  |   |          |                                  |  |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 | Chief Executive Officer     |   |  |   |  |                         |  |
|  |   |  |   |          |                                  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                   |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)   |  |   |  |                         |  |
| (Street)<br>HOUST(   | ON T  | X 7  | 77034                                       |          |                                  |  |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             | ,   |  |   |  |                         |  |
| (City)   | (S  | tate) (                                    | Zip)  |          |                                  |  |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             |   | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person   |   |  |                         |  |
|  |   | Tab  | le I - N                                    | on-Deriv | ative S                          | Sec  | urities | Ac  | quired, [                               | Disp     | osed o         | of, or I       | Bene            | ficial                      | ly Owne   | d  |   |  |                         |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)   |   |  |   |          | Execution Date,                  |  |         | Transaction Dispos<br>Code (Instr. and 5) |   |          | rities Ac      |                |                 | Securit<br>Benefic<br>Owned | curities Formal |  | n: Direct<br>r<br>ect (I)                                       | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership            |                         |  |
|  |   |  |   |          |                                  |  |         |   | Code                                    | v        | Amoun          | ınt (A) or (D) |                 | Price                       |   |  | Report<br>Transa  | r. 4)  | (Instr. 4)              |  |
| Common stock 11/18/20  |   |  |   |          | .010                             |  | A       |   | 23,7                                    | 23,740 A |                | (1)            | 43              | 43,009                      |   | D  |   |  |                         |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |   |  |   |          |                                  |  |         |   |   |          |                |                |                 |                             |   |  |   |  |                         |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deer<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/I | on Date, | 4.<br>Transact<br>Code (In<br>8) |  | n of    |   | 6. Date Exe<br>Expiration<br>(Month/Day | Date     |                | Amount of      |                 | r. 3                        | 8. Price<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownersh<br>Form:<br>Direct (D<br>or Indire<br>(I) (Instr.<br>4) | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. | Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|  |   |  |   |          | Code                             | v  | (A)     | (D)                                       | Date<br>Exercisable                     |          | piration<br>te | Title          | or<br>Nu<br>of  | mber<br>ares                |   |  |   |  |                         |  |
| Common<br>stock<br>options   | \$13.69   | 11/18/2010                                 |   |          | A                                |  | 49,618  |   | (2)                                     | 11/      | /18/2020       | Commo          | <sup>n</sup> 49 | ,618                        | \$0   | 49,618   |   | D  |                         |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This grant of restricted stock vests cumulatively at a rate of 1/3 upon the first anniversary of the stock grant (November 18, 2011) and 1/36 per month thereafter such that all shares are vested on the third anniversary of the stock grant.
- 2. This stock option grant is exercisable cumulatively at a rate of 1/3 upon the first anniversary of the stock option grant (November 18, 2011) and 1/36 per month thereafter such that all option shares are exercisable on the third anniversary of the stock option grant.

## Remarks:

J. Michael Pearson

11/30/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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