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

Notice of Exempt Offering of Securities

OMB APPROVAL

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1. Issuer's Identity

CIK (Filer ID Number)	Previous Names	None	Entity Type
<a href="#">0000866609</a>	INPUT OUTPUT INC		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation
<b>Name of Issuer</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership
ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP			<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company
<b>Jurisdiction of Incorporation/Organization</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> General Partnership
DELAWARE			<input type="checkbox"/> Business Trust
<b>Year of Incorporation/Organization</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Over Five Years Ago			
<input type="checkbox"/> Within Last Five Years (Specify Year)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yet to Be Formed			

2. Principal Place of Business and Contact Information

Name of Issuer	Street Address 1	Street Address 2	City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode	Phone Number of Issuer
ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP	2105 CITYWEST BLVD	SUITE 400	HOUSTON	TX	770422839	281.933.3339

3. Related Persons

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Street Address 1	Street Address 2	City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
PEEBLER	ROBERT	P.	2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executive Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> Promoter							

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND DIRECTOR

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Street Address 1	Street Address 2	City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HANSON	R.	BRIAN	2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executive Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> Promoter							

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
FRIEDEMANN	CHRISTOPHER	M.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> X Executive Officer Director Promoter		

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, CORPORATE MARKETING

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
ROLAND	DAVID	L.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.		
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> X Executive Officer Director Promoter		

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, GENERAL COUNSEL AND CORPORATE SECRETARY

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
MORRISON	MICHAEL	L.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> X Executive Officer Director Promoter		

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

VICE PRESIDENT AND CORPORATE CONTROLLER

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
LAPEYRE, JR.	JAMES	M.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> Executive Officer X Director Promoter		

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
APPELBAUM	BRUCE	S.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b> Executive Officer X Director Promoter		

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
ELLIOT, JR.	THEODORE	H.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b>	Executive Officer X Director	Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
MARSH	G.	THOMAS
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b>	Executive Officer X Director	Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
MYERS	FRANKLIN	
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b>	Executive Officer X Director	Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
NELSON, JR.	S.	JAMES
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b>	Executive Officer X Director	Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
SEITZ	JOHN	N.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode
HOUSTON	TX	77042
<b>Relationship:</b>	Executive Officer X Director	Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
VLAHAKIS	NICHOLAS	G.
Street Address 1	Street Address 2	
2105 CITYWEST BLVD.	SUITE 400	
City	State/Province/Country	ZIP/PostalCode

HOUSTON

TX

77042

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**Last Name**

**First Name**

**Middle Name**

YUELIANG

GUO

**Street Address 1**

**Street Address 2**

2105 CITYWEST BLVD.

SUITE 400

**City**

**State/Province/Country**

**ZIP/PostalCode**

HOUSTON

TX

77042

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

4. Industry Group

Agriculture

Health Care

Retailing

Banking & Financial Services

Biotechnology

Restaurants

Commercial Banking

Health Insurance

Technology

Insurance

Hospitals & Physicians

Computers

Investing

Pharmaceuticals

Telecommunications

Investment Banking

Other Health Care

Other Technology

Pooled Investment Fund

Is the issuer registered as an investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940?

Manufacturing

Travel

Yes

No

Real Estate

Airlines & Airports

Other Banking & Financial Services

Commercial

Lodging & Conventions

Construction

Tourism & Travel Services

REITS & Finance

Other Travel

Business Services

Residential

Other

Energy

Other Real Estate

Coal Mining

Electric Utilities

Energy Conservation

Environmental Services

X Oil & Gas

Other Energy

5. Issuer Size

**Revenue Range**

**OR**

**Aggregate Net Asset Value Range**

No Revenues

No Aggregate Net Asset Value

\$1 - \$1,000,000

\$1 - \$5,000,000

\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000

\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000

X \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000

\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000

\$25,000,001 - \$100,000,000

\$50,000,001 - \$100,000,000

Over \$100,000,000

Over \$100,000,000

Decline to Disclose

Decline to Disclose

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

6. Federal Exemption(s) and Exclusion(s) Claimed (select all that apply)

Rule 504(b)(1) (not (i), (ii) or (iii))

Rule 504 (b)(1)(i)

Rule 504 (b)(1)(ii)

Rule 504 (b)(1)(iii)

Rule 505

X Rule 506

Securities Act Section 4(5)

Investment Company Act Section 3(c)

Section 3(c)(1)

Section 3(c)(9)

Section 3(c)(2)

Section 3(c)(10)

Section 3(c)(3)

Section 3(c)(11)

Section 3(c)(4)

Section 3(c)(12)

Section 3(c)(5)

Section 3(c)(13)

Section 3(c)(6)

Section 3(c)(14)

Section 3(c)(7)

### 7. Type of Filing

X New Notice Date of First Sale 2010-03-19 First Sale Yet to Occur  
Amendment

### 8. Duration of Offering

Does the Issuer intend this offering to last more than one year? Yes X No

### 9. Type(s) of Securities Offered (select all that apply)

X Equity

Debt

Option, Warrant or Other Right to Acquire Another Security

Security to be Acquired Upon Exercise of Option, Warrant or  
Other Right to Acquire Security

Pooled Investment Fund Interests

Tenant-in-Common Securities

Mineral Property Securities

Other (describe)

### 10. Business Combination Transaction

Is this offering being made in connection with a business combination transaction, such as  
a merger, acquisition or exchange offer? Yes X No

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

### 11. Minimum Investment

Minimum investment accepted from any outside investor \$0 USD

### 12. Sales Compensation

Recipient

(Associated) Broker or Dealer X None

**Street Address 1**

City

State(s) of Solicitation (select all that apply)

Check "All States" or check individual States

Recipient CRD Number X None

(Associated) Broker or Dealer CRD Number X None

**Street Address 2**

State/Province/Country

ZIP/Postal Code

All States

Foreign/non-US

### 13. Offering and Sales Amounts

Total Offering Amount \$66,610,701 USD or Indefinite

Total Amount Sold \$66,610,701 USD

Total Remaining to be Sold \$0 USD or Indefinite

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

### 14. Investors

Select if securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, and enter the number of such non-accredited investors who already have invested in the offering. Regardless of whether securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, enter the total number of investors who already have invested in the offering:

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**15. Sales Commissions & Finder's Fees Expenses**

Provide separately the amounts of sales commissions and finders fees expenses, if any. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

Sales Commissions                    \$0 USD    Estimate  
 Finders' Fees                         \$0 USD    Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**16. Use of Proceeds**

Provide the amount of the gross proceeds of the offering that has been or is proposed to be used for payments to any of the persons required to be named as executive officers, directors or promoters in response to Item 3 above. If the amount is unknown, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

\$0 USD     Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**Signature and Submission**

Please verify the information you have entered and review the Terms of Submission below before signing and clicking SUBMIT below to file this notice.

**Terms of Submission**

In submitting this notice, each issuer named above is:

- Notifying the SEC and/or each State in which this notice is filed of the offering of securities described and undertaking to furnish them, upon written request, in the accordance with applicable law, the information furnished to offerees.\*
- Irrevocably appointing each of the Secretary of the SEC and, the Securities Administrator or other legally designated officer of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business and any State in which this notice is filed, as its agents for service of process, and agreeing that these persons may accept service on its behalf, of any notice, process or pleading, and further agreeing that such service may be made by registered or certified mail, in any Federal or state action, administrative proceeding, or arbitration brought against the issuer in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, if the action, proceeding or arbitration (a) arises out of any activity in connection with the offering of securities that is the subject of this notice, and (b) is founded, directly or indirectly, upon the provisions of: (i) the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Investment Company Act of 1940, or the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, or any rule or regulation under any of these statutes, or (ii) the laws of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business or any State in which this notice is filed.
- Certifying that, if the issuer is claiming a Rule 505 exemption, the issuer is not disqualified from relying on Rule 505 for one of the reasons stated in Rule 505(b)(2)(iii).

Each Issuer identified above has read this notice, knows the contents to be true, and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

For signature, type in the signer's name or other letters or characters adopted or authorized as the signer's signature.

Issuer	Signature	Name of Signer	Title	Date
ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP	/s/ David L. Roland	David L. Roland	Sr. VP, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary	2010-04-05

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