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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person * REINFRANK RUDOLPH R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PARKER DRILLING CO /DE/ [PKD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
1401 ENCLAVE PARKWAY, SUITE 600			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2008				-	Office	r (give title belo	ow) (ther (specify be	low)	
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77077		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						
(City	·)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed			osed of, or	Beneficially	Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		D	Transaction ate Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	Beneficia	ally Owned Following Transaction(s)		Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
					Code	V Amo	(A) or unt (D)	Price	rice			or Indirect (I) Instr. 4)	Instr. 4)
Common	Stock	0	3/14/2008		A	15,0	00 A	\$ 0	44,635			D	
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Barretta Oraca Nama / Add and	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
REINFRANK RUDOLPH R 1401 ENCLAVE PARKWAY, SUITE 600 HOUSTON, TX 77077	X					

Signatures

R Rudolph Reinfrank	03/17/2008
**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).

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