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Jonathan G. Katz
Secretary
Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20549-0609

Re: Transocean Inc. – Statements Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and
Principal Financial Officer

Dear Secretary Katz:

Pursuant to Order No. 4-460 of the Securities and Exchange Commission (June 27, 2002), enclosed please find a Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings for each of J. Michael Talbert, Chief Executive Officer of Transocean Inc. and Gregory L. Cauthen, Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of Transocean Inc.

Please file stamp the enclosed copies of this letter and each of the Statements and return using the self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope included with this letter.

Sincerely,

William E. Turcotte

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Enclosures

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**Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer
Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings**

I, J. Michael Talbert, state and attest that:


(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Transocean Inc., and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

- no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
- no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).

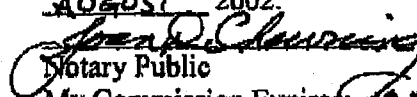
(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the audit committee of the board of directors of Transocean Inc.

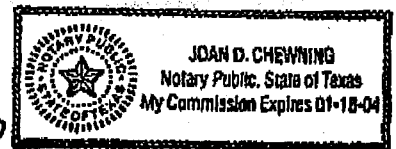
(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":

- the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001 of Transocean Inc.;
- all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Transocean Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.


 J. Michael Talbert
 Chief Executive Officer
 August 13, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 13 day of
AUGUST 2002.


 Notary Public
 My Commission Expires 18 JAN 2004



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