

Timmins Paul  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Timmins Paul		(Month/Day/Year)	Weatherford International Ltd./Switzerland [WFT]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/08/2013	
2000 ST. JAMES PLACE			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
HOUSTON,Â TXÂ 77056			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			VP Formation Evaluation	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Registered Shares	262,661 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Phantom Share Units	Â (2)	Â (2)	Registered Shares	3,614	\$ (3)	D	Â
Performance Share Units	Â (4)	Â (4)	Registered Shares	(4)	\$ (4)	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Timmins Paul 2000 ST. JAMES PLACE HOUSTON, TX 77056	Â	Â	Â VP Formation Evaluation	Â

## Signatures

Danette H. Twining, by Power of Attorney  
03/11/2013

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Includes 56,244 restricted share units that vest as follows: an aggregate of 4,000 that vest ratably on each of February 2, 2014 and 2015; an aggregate of 20,000 that vest ratably on each of June 7, 2014 and 2016; and an aggregate of 32,244 that vest ratably on each of March 7, 2014, 2015 and 2016; and 85,000 restricted shares that vest as follows: an aggregate of 10,000 that vest ratably on each of November 7, 2013, 2014 and 2015; and an aggregate of 75,000 that vest ratably on each of February 12, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

(2) The phantom share units were credited under the Issuer's Executive Deferred Compensation Stock Ownership Plan. All units are fully vested. Distributions under the plan are made upon termination of employment, retirement or death of the participant, or not later than January 1, 2017.

(3) The phantom share units convert to registered shares on a one-for-one basis.

(4) The Reporting Person holds 32,244 performance share units. Each performance unit represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 2 shares. The conversion ratio ultimately applied to these performance units will be determined based on the absolute increase in the issuer's share price over the performance period (fiscal years 2013-2015). The units are scheduled to vest on January 1, 2016.

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