## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FERRON MARTIN R |   |  |   |                    |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CAL DIVE INTERNATIONAL INC [ CDIS |      |     |  |                |          |   |                                |                           |   | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner                                      |   |                                      |  |                                       |  |
|--|---|--|---|--------------------|---|---|------|-----|--|----------------|----------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| (Last) SUITE 4   | `   | rst)                                       | (Middle)                                      |                    | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2003 |   |      |     |  |                |          |   |                                |                           |   | r (give title<br>')<br>PRESIDE   | NT 8  | Other (s<br>below)                   | specify  |                                       |  |
| (Street) HOUSTON TX 77060                                |   |  |   |                    | 4. li   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      |      |     |  |                |          |   |                                |                           |   | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting |   |                                      |  |                                       |  |
| (City)   | (Si   | •  | (Zip)   |                    |   |   |      |     |  |                |          |   |                                |                           | <u> </u>  | Perso  |   |                                      |  |                                       |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tra                   |   |  | 2. Trans<br>Date<br>(Month/                   | saction            | ear) i  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                   |      |     | 3.<br>Transac<br>Code (In<br>8)                          | tion           | 4. Secur | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) |                                |                           | r 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin |  | Form<br>(D) o   | n: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                      |                                       |  |
|  |   |  |   |                    |   |   | Code | v   | Amount   | (A)            | or       | Price   | Reporte<br>Transa<br>(Instr. 3 | ction(s)                  |   |  | (Instr. 4)  |                                      |  |                                       |  |
| Common   | Stock   | 12   |   |                    | 0/200   | 2003  |      |     | X  |                | 5,00     | 5,000 A   |                                | \$15                      | 5   | 5,000  |   | <b>D</b> <sup>(1)</sup>              |  |                                       |  |
| Common   | Stock   |  |   |                    |   |   |      |     |  |                |          |   |                                |                           |   | 81,394 I <sup>(2)</sup>  |   |                                      |  | See Note<br>2                         |  |
|  |   | Т  | able II - I                                   | Deriva<br>(e.g., p |   |   |      |     |  |                |          |   | •                              |                           | -   | Owned  |   |                                      | ,  |                                       |  |
| 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. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Da | Date,              | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8)                                |   |      |     | 6. Date Exercisal<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                |          | Amount of   |                                | of<br>es<br>ing<br>/e Sec |   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | ly                                   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |   |  |   | c                  | Code  | v   | (A)  | (D) | Date<br>Exe  | e<br>ercisable |          | piration<br>te  | Title                          | or<br>Nu<br>of            | mber  |  |   |                                      | <u></u>  |                                       |  |
| Call<br>Option<br>(Right to                              | \$15  | 12/20/2003                                 |   |                    | С   |   |      | 50  | 12/  | /20/2003       | 12/      | 20/2003   | Commo                          | <sup>1</sup> 5,           | ,000  | \$498  | 0   |                                      | D  |                                       |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the owner of any equity securities covered by this statement.
- 2. Owned by Uncle John Limited Partnership of which the general partner is an entity that Mr. Ferron controls.

/s/ MARTIN R. FERRON

12/2<u>2/2003</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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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