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

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Amendment No.: 1

Name of Issuer: Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc.

Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock, par value \$.01 per

share

CUSIP Number: 252 71C 102

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized To Receive Notices and Communications)

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

May 24, 1996

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be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 252 71C 102

Name of Reporting Person
S.S. or I.R.S. Identification No. of Above Person

Forvaltnings AB Ratos

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group

a.

b. X

- 3. SEC Use Only
- 4. Source of Funds

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- Check box if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e)
- 6. Citizenship or Place of Organization

Sweden

7. Sole Voting Power:

378,838

- 8. Shared Voting Power:
- 9. Sole Dispositive Power:

378,838

- 10. Shared Dispositive Power:
- 11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 378,838

12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)

0.6%

14. Type of Reporting Person

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The purpose of this Amendment No. 1 is to amend the Schedule 13D filed on May 9, 1996 (the "Schedule") by Forvaltnings AB Ratos ("Ratos") relating to the ownership of the Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, of Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Diamond"). All capitalized terms used in this Amendment and not otherwise defined herein have the meaning set forth in the Schedule.

Item 1. Security and Issuer

No change

Item 2. Identity and Background

No change

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

No change

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

The Offering described in the Schedule was completed on May 24, 1996. 328,838 shares of Common Stock owned by Ratos remain subject to an over-allotment option in favor of the Underwriters and the International Managers (as defined in Item 5 below). Subject to this over-allotment option, 378,838 shares of Common Stock are held by Ratos for investment purposes.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

Ratos is deemed to be the beneficial owner of 378,838 shares of Common Stock representing approximately 0.6% of the outstanding Common Stock, based on Diamond's most recent filing with the Commission.

To the best of Ratos' knowledge, Alphee S.A. ("Alphee"), a Luxembourg corporation, whose principal place of business is located at 11 Avenue De La Gare, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, owns an aggregate of 473,477 shares of Common Stock on the date hereof, representing 0.7% of the outstanding Common Stock.

Ratos sold 3,288,369 shares of Common Stock on May 24, 1996 in an underwritten secondary offering pursuant to (i) the Registration Statement and as further described in the prospectus supplement, dated May 20, 1996 to the prospectus contained in the Registration Statement, (ii) the U.S. Purchase Agreement dated as of May 20, 1996 (the "U.S. Purchase Agreement"), by and among Diamond, Ratos, Alphee (Alphee, together with Ratos, the "Selling Stockholders") and Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, CS First Boston Corporation and Salomon Brothers

Inc (the "Underwriters") and (iii) the International Purchase Agreement dated as of May 20, 1996 (the "International Purchase Agreement, and together with the U.S. Purchase Agreement, the "Purchase Agreements") by and among Diamond, the Selling Stockholders, Merrill Lynch International, CS First Boston Limited and Salomon Brothers International Limited (the "International Managers").

Ratos ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the shares of Common Stock on May 24, 1996. As a result, this is the final amendment to this Schedule.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer

In addition to the Shareholders' Agreement described in Item 6 of the Schedule, Ratos, together with Alphee, is a party to the Purchase Agreements relating to the sale by Ratos and Alphee of 3,288,369 and 4,234,771 shares of Common Stock, respectively, to the Underwriters and the International Managers and the offer of such shares to the public under the Registration Statement. Forms of the U.S. Purchase Agreement and the International Purchase Agreement have been filed as Exhibit Nos. 1.1 and 1.2, respectively, to Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement. Pursuant to the Purchase Agreements, 328,838 shares of Common Stock owned by Ratos remain subject to an over-allotment option in favor of the Underwriters and the International Managers.

Item 7. Exhibits.

None.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true complete and accurate.

FORVALTNINGS AB RATOS

By: /s/ Gary J. Wolfe Name: Gary J. Wolfe Title: Attorney-in-Fact Date: May 30, 1996