

BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SHAPIRO STEVEN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC  
 [BR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 BURLINGTON RESOURCES  
 INC., 717 TEXAS AVENUE,  
 SUITE 2100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/03/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Executive V.P. and C.F.O.

(Street)  
 HOUSTON, TX 77002

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/03/2005		M	A	\$ 17.725	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2005		S	D	\$ 51.85	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2005		S	D	\$ 51.84	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2005		S	D	\$ 51.83	D	
	03/03/2005		S	D	\$ 51.82	D	

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 51.81	157,119	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	4,900	D	\$ 51.79	152,219	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	6,400	D	\$ 51.78	145,819	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	300	D	\$ 51.77	145,519	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	900	D	\$ 51.76	144,619	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	3,100	D	\$ 51.75	141,519	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	1,200	D	\$ 51.74	140,319	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	700	D	\$ 51.73	139,619	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	400	D	\$ 51.72	139,219	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	4,100	D	\$ 51.71	135,119	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 51.7	133,819	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	4,300	D	\$ 51.69	129,519	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 51.68	126,919	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	200	D	\$ 51.67	126,719	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	900	D	\$ 51.66	125,819	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	2,100	D	\$ 51.65	123,719	D
Common Stock	03/03/2005	S	1,800	D	\$ 51.61	121,919	D

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 17.725	03/03/2005		M	50,000	01/09/2003 01/09/2012	Common Stock	50,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHAPIRO STEVEN J BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC. 717 TEXAS AVENUE, SUITE 2100 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Executive V.P. and C.F.O.	

## Signatures

Jeffery P. Monte  
Attorney-in-fact

03/07/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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