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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SWIFT ENERGY CO [SFY]

Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 4 or
Form 5
obligations
may continue.

See Instruction

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Symbol

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

			(Check all application)					all applicable,				
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Ear	rliest Trans	saction						
16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400			•	(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP Operations				
		4. If Amendm	4. If Amendment, Date Original				. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
HOUSTON, TX 77060				Filed(Month/D					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	Table I -	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own								
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/	Year) I	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	ed of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	SFY Cmmn Stock-By Other Holdings								2,420	I	IRA	
	SFY Common Stock-401(k)								11,808 (1)	I	401(k) Plan	
	SFY Cmmn Stock-ESOP Holding								567 <u>(2)</u>	I	ESOP Plan	
	Swift Energy Common	02/28/2011			F	1,659	D	\$ 42.95	78,908	D		

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Stock

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativo	;		Securities	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired	ed				
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		or	
								Title	Number	
				C 1 1	. (A) (D)				of	
				Code V	V(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KITTERMAN JAMES M 16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77060

Senior VP Operations

Signatures

Laurent A. Baillargeon, POA for James M. Kitterman

03/01/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Based on statement dated 1/30/2011.
- (2) Based on statement dated 12/31/2009.

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