Turcotte Barry S. Form 4 February 15, 2013

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations

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SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

may continue. *See* Instruction

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Turcotte Bar		orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			SWIFT ENERGY CO [SFY]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 (Street)			02/13/2013	Officer (give title Other (specification) VP and Controller			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
HOUSTON, TX 77060				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acon(A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Swift			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Energy Common Stock							646 (1)	I	ESOP	
Swift Energy Common Stock							3,161 (2)	I	401(k)	
Swift Energy Common Stock	02/13/2013		F	581	D	\$ 15.73	46,410	D		

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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	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	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)) Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	
		Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		
		Security				Acquired						
						(A) or						
						Disposed						
						of (D)						
						(Instr. 3,						
						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
							Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	*		Number			
										of		
					Code V	I(A)(D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Turcotte Barry S.

16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77060

VP and Controller

Signatures

Laurent A. Baillargeon, POA for Barry S. Turcotte

02/15/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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 12/31/2011.
- (2) Based on statement dated 12/31/2012.

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