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December 21, 2015

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (or Date of Earliest Event Reported): December 18, 2015

SWIFT ENERGY COMPANY

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas 1-8754 20-3940661
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

17001 Northchase Drive, Suite 100 Houston, Texas 77060 (Address of principal executive offices)

(281) 874-2700

(Registrant's telephone number)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 3.01 Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing On December 18, 2015, Swift Energy Company (the "Company") was notified by the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE") that due to "abnormally low" trading price levels, pursuant to Section 802.01D of the NYSE's Listed Company Manual, the NYSE has determined to commence proceedings to delist its common stock. Trading in the Company's common stock was suspended immediately intra-day on December 18, 2015.

The Company has a right to a review of this determination. The NYSE will apply to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") to delist the common stock upon completion of all applicable procedures, including any appeal by the Company of the decision. The Company does not intend to appeal the determination and, therefore, it is expected the Company's common stock will be delisted.

Effective December 21, 2015, the common stock of the Company commenced trading on the OTC Pink marketplace under the symbol "SFYW." The Company can provide no assurance that its common stock will continue to trade on this market, whether broker-dealers will continue to provide public quotes of the Company's common stock on this market, whether the trading volume of the Company's common stock will be sufficient to provide for an efficient trading market or whether quotes for the Company's common stock may be blocked by OTC Markets Group in the future.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: December 21, 2015

Swift Energy Company By: /s/ Terry E. Swift Terry E. Swift

Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and

President

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