SWIFT VIRGIL N Form 4

November 05, 2004

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

SWIFT VIRGIL N

				SWIFT ENERGY CO [SFY]					(Check all applicable)			
			(1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2004					XDirector 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HOUSTON, TX 77060									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficiall									ially Owned			
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day	ate, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired action(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 8)  (A) or V Amount (D) Price		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)		
	Common Stock								148,685	D		
	Common Stock	11/04/2004(1)	11/04/200	)4	S(2)	975 (3)	D	\$ 25.04	64,545	I	Family Partnership	
	Common Stock	11/04/2004	11/04/200	)4	S(2)	375 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.03	64,170	I	Family Partnership	
	Common Stock	11/04/2004	11/04/200	)4	S(2)	675 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.02	63,495	I	Family Partnership	
	Common Stock	11/04/2004	11/04/200	14	S(2)	1,050 (3)	D	\$ 25	62,445	I	Family Partnership	

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Common Stock	8,955	I	by Family Member
Common Stock	6,121	I	held in IRA

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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. Transa Code (Instr. 8	ction 8)	5. inNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/	ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SWIFT VIRGIL N 16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77060	X						

# **Signatures**

Karen Bryant POA for Virgil N. Swift 11/05/2004

\*\*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) Due to various sales prices this report is the third of three filed to report the insider's transactions on November 4, 2004.
- (2) The partnership's sales were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the limited partnership on July 11, 2004.

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These shares were sold by VNS & CLS Partners Ltd., a Texas Limited Partnership, of which reporting person is the beneficial owner of 92.5% (74,445 shares) and disclaims beneficial ownership of 7.5% (8,955 shares) held by persons outside of the reporting person's immediate family.

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