STEWART ALAN N

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STEWART ALAN N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY CO

[SWN]

(Check all applicable)

EVP of Subsidiary

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2004

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

2350 N. SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY EAST, SUITE 300

(State)

12/09/2004

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77032

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Following Reported

Indirect Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

A

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price \$0 1.090

(1)

3,590 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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22.46					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 49.8	12/09/2004		A	3,530	12/09/2005(2)	12/09/2011	Common Stock	3,530

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

STEWART ALAN N 2350 N. SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY EAST SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032

EVP of Subsidiary

Signatures

Melissa D. McCarty, Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Granted in consideration of services as an officer.
- Option becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3 or immediately upon a change in control.

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