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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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	Reporting Person*			2 10									\neg								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST GAS CORP [SWX]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne)			•				
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Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ Restricted \ Stock \ Plan \ shares \ invest \ in \ 3 \ annual \ installments \ of \ 40\% \ in \ 2008, \ 30\% \ in \ 2009 \ and \ 30\% \ in \ 2010.$

By: Karen W. Stanfield, POA 05/04/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly.$

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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