FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KENNY KENNETH J						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST GAS CORP [ SWX ]										all app Direc	licable)	g Pers	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify		
(Last) 5241 SPF	Last) (First) (Middle) 2241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2005									belov			below)		
(Street) LAS VEC	S VEGAS NV 891500002				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indi Line) X	Forn Forn	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution		on Date,	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Secu Bene Own		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	е	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common stock 12/01/2						2005			J		37.53 <sup>(2</sup>	1)	A	\$27.11		6,909.28			D		
Common stock 12/01/2						2005			J		15.420	2)	A	\$27.11		6,924.7			D		
Common stock 401k 12/01/2						/2005			J		40.83 <sup>(3)</sup>		A	\$27.11		2,969.83			I	By 401(k)	
	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. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	n Date, ay/Year) Transact Code (In: 8)			of Deri Sec Acq (A) of Disp	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	6. Date Expiration (Month/L	on Dat		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Number		nstr. 3	Deri Sec (Ins	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	O Fe D OI (I)	D. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Pursuant to the stock dividend/dividend reinvestment feature of SWX restrict stock plan, paid dividend on 12/1/05 with a record date of 11/15/05.
- 2. Shares acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment plan, dividend paid on 12/1/05 with a record date of 11/15/05.
- 3. Pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of the SWX 401 (k) plan. Dividends paid on 9/1/05 with a record date of 8/15/05 and 12/1/05 with a record date of 11/15/05.

## Remarks:

By: Kathy M. Bailey, POA 12/02/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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