UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 4 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP ( ) Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Biehl, George C.
5241 Spring Mountain Road Las Vegas, NV 89102 USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Southwest Gas Corporation
SWX
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year 1/31/00

- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
   (X) Director ( ) 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other
   (specify below)
   Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer and Corporate Secretary
   Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
   ( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of Security		Securities Acqui or Disposed of (I Amount		Price	5.Amount of   Securities   Beneficially   Owned at   End of Month	6.Dir    ect    (D)or    Indir    ect(I)	Benefic	of Indirect ial Ownership
Common Stock	1/12/0 F  V 15  0	19	D  S	21.6250	}			
Common Stock	1/18/0 A  V 49  0	13	A   		28,873	D   		
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Explanation of Responses: SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON /s/ George C. Biehl by Faye J. Ringler, Attorney in fact DATE 2/3/00