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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hobbs Laura E</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST GAS CORP [SWX]								5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable) Director			g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2012								X	belov	w) ``	Other (specify below) /Administration	
treet) AS VEGAS NV City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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Common Stock 03/01				012				A		36.3743	A	\$42	2.57	13,	144.578	D	
Common Stock 03/0			03/01/2	012				A		12.3971	A	\$42	2.57	13,1	156.9751	D	
Common Stock 03			03/01/2	/2012				A	103.9701 A		A	\$42	2.57	6,808.4711		I	By 401(k)
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Explanation of Responses:

Karen W. Stanfield, POA

of Shares

Expiration Date

03/05/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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