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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* MARIUCCI ANNE L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SOUTHWEST GAS CORP</u> [SWX]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Own				
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(Last)	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2012		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
5241 SPRING	MOUNTAIN	ROAD							
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) LAS VEGAS NV 8		89150-0002		X	Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
		Table I - Non-Deri	vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene	eficially	Owned				

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (I 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	01/23/2012		A		2,300	A	\$41.34	12,048.591	D	

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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	5. Number of Expiration Date Derivative Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

Karen W. Stanfield, POA

** Signature of Reporting Person

01/24/2012

Date

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

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