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*  KANE JAMES P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST GAS CORP [ SWX ]											all app	ship of Reporting F applicable) irector		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2008											Office below	cer (give title ow) Presid		Other (specify below)		
(Street)  LAS VEGAS NV 891500002  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Indi ∟ine) X						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution ay/Year) if any			A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Sec Ber Ow		ount of ities icially 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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common	stock	/2008	2008				A <sup>(1)</sup>		154.14	4	A	\$2	\$25.83		41,884.11		D					
Common	stock	/2008	2008				A <sup>(2)</sup>		172.5	2 A \$2		\$2	5.83	5.83 42,056.			D					
Common Stock/2006 Restricted Stock 03/03/3						2008			A <sup>(3)</sup>		44.35	6 A \$2		5.83	3 2,885.79		D					
		Ta	able II - I									sed of, onvertib					wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)   Code 8)				Transa Code (l		on of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Date E.	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		of s g e ilnstr. 3 mount r umber f	Deri Sec	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Oi Fo Di (I)	). wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

## Explanation of Responses:

- $1. Shares \ acquired \ pursuant \ to \ the \ dividend \ reinvestment \ Plan, \ dividend \ paid \ on \ 3/3/08 \ with \ record \ date \ of \ 02/15/08$
- 2. Pursuant to the stock dividend/dividend reinvestment feature of the SWX restricted stock plan, paid dividends on 03/3/08 with a record date of 2/15/08.
- $3.\ Pursuant\ to\ the\ dividend\ reinvestment\ feature\ of\ SWX\ 2006\ Restricted\ Stock\ Plan,\ paid\ dividends\ 03/03/08\ with\ a\ record\ date\ of\ 02/15/08\ pursuant\ to\ the\ dividend\ record\ date\ of\ 02/15/08\ pursuant\ to\ the\ record\ date\ of\ 02/15/08\ pursuant\ the\ record\ pursuant\ pursuant\ the\ record\ p$

By: Karen W. Stanfield, POA 03/05/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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