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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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]									k all app Dired		1	0% C	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2012									Offic below	,		Other (spe below) dent	
Street) LAS VEGAS NV 89150-0002 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	-/				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	enefi	cially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,		ate,	3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and 5) Sec Ben Owr		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	•	Repor Transa (Instr.	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 09/04/20						12		A		198.2171	A	\$4	3.52	39,5	511.1388	D			
Common Stock 09/04/20						12		A		67.5555	A	\$4	\$43.52		39,578.6943				
Common Stock 09					012)12			A		0.738	A	\$42	.7436	39,579.4323		D		
	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)	/e Conversion Date Execution Date, Tran or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code			Transa Code (8)	Instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of		Der Sec (Ins 3	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

Karen W. Stanfield, POA

09/06/2012

** 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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