

SWIFT ENERGY CO  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
WESSON DAVID W

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE,  
SUITE 400  
(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77060

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SWIFT ENERGY CO [SFY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/15/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
SFY Common Stock-401(k)				(A)	2,579	I	401(k)
SFY Cmmn Stock-ESOP Holding				(A)	1,070	I	ESOP Plan
Swift Energy Common Stock				(A)	5,450 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Swift Energy Common Stock	11/15/2006		M	1,500 A	\$ 30.47 6,950	D	

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Swift Energy Common Stock	11/16/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 33	8,950	D
Swift Energy Common Stock	11/16/2006		M	5,600	A	\$ 16.96	14,550	D
Swift Energy Common Stock	11/16/2006		S	9,100	D	\$ 51.47	5,450	D

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

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**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
SQ01 Plan grt 5/8/2001 ISO	\$ 30.47	11/15/2006		M	1,500	05/08/2002 05/08/2011	Swift Energy Common Stock 1,500
SQ90 plan grt 12/22/2000 ISO	\$ 33	11/16/2006		M	2,000	12/22/2001 12/22/2010	Swift Energy Common Stock 2,000
SQ01 Plan grt 2/4/2002	\$ 16.96	11/16/2006		M	5,600	02/04/2003 02/04/2012	Swift Energy Common Stock 5,600

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

