

SWIFT ENERGY CO  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SMITH CLYDE W JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

17001 NORTHCHASE DRIVE,  
SUITE 100

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77060

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/22/2016

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)

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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Swift Energy Company Common Stock	04/22/2016		J <sup>(1)</sup>		53,958 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 0 72,247 D
SFY Cmmn Stk-Family Member	04/22/2016		D <sup>(2)</sup>		1,000 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 0 0 I Held In Son's Roth IRA
Swift Energy Company Common Stock	04/22/2016		D <sup>(2)</sup>		25,000 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 0 0 I Held in Spouse's Roth IRA

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Swift Energy  
 Company 04/22/2016 D(2) 72,247 D \$ 0 0 D  
 Common (2)  
 Stock

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SMITH CLYDE W JR  
 17001 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 100  
 HOUSTON, TX 77060

**Signatures**

Laurent A. Baillargeon, POA for Clyde W. Smith, Jr. 04/26/2016  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

**Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Pursuant to Section 503(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, the reporting person's Restricted Stock awards were cancelled upon the Issuer's emergence from bankruptcy, including shares which were prohibited from vesting during the time that the Issuer was in bankruptcy.
- (2)

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Pursuant to the Plan of Reorganization approved by the Board of Directors and filed with the bankruptcy court, the Issuer's common stock (SFYWQ) was cancelled on April 22, 2016.

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