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# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Form 5 obligations may continue. *See* Instruction

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

		Symbol SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES INC [SPN]						Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) ERS ROAD	(Month/		fonth/Day/Year)					_X_ Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below)			
11031211	(Street)			05/16/2007					Chief Executive Officer			
(Silect)			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Ap	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)				
HARVEY, LA 70058			_					_	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						y Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	6)	4. Securities Acquired (A) orDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Pric			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)	
Common Stock	05/16/2007			M		91,000	A	\$ 8.25	135,502	D		
Common Stock	05/16/2007			S		91,000	D	\$ 39.0186	44,502	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2007			M		197,617	A	\$ 8.25	242,119	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2007			M		11,383	A	\$ 9.31	253,502	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2007	07		S		209,000	D	\$ 39.0956	44,502	D		

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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)	orDeriv Secur Acqu Dispo		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amous Numb Shares
Options (right to buy)	\$ 8.25	05/16/2007		M		91,000	07/11/2002(1)	07/11/2011	Common Stock	91,0
Options (right to buy)	\$ 8.25	05/17/2007		M		197,617	07/11/2002(1)	07/11/2011	Common Stock	197,
Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.31	05/17/2007		M		11,383	04/04/2002	04/04/2011	Common Stock	11,3

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HALL TERENCE E 1105 PETERS ROAD HARVEY, LA 70058	X		Chief Executive Officer					

# **Signatures**

William B. Masters on behalf of Terence E. Hall 05/18/2007

\*\*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) The stock options are exercisable in 1/3 increments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant and ending on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

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