

SWIFT ENERGY CO
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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 *
KITTERMAN JAMES M

(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)
06/02/2008

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)

Senior VP Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Cmmn Stock-By Other Holdings					2,420	I	IRA
SFY Common Stock-401(k)					10,183	I	401(k) Plan
SFY Cmmn Stock-ESOP Holding					795	I	ESOP Plan
Swift Energy Common	06/02/2008		M	8,007 A	\$ 52,780 38.56	D	

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Stock

Swift Energy

Common 06/02/2008 S 8,007 D \$ 59 44,773 D
Stock

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
SQ05 Plan Grant	\$ 38.56	06/02/2008		M	8,007	06/08/2007 06/08/2008	Swift Energy Common Stock	8,007

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KITTERMAN JAMES M 16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77060			Senior VP Operations	

Signatures

James M. Kitterman 06/03/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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