FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MELARKEY MICHAEL J						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST GAS CORP [ SWX ]								(Ch	elationshi eck all app X Dire	olicable)	g Person(s) to	Issuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2011								Offic belo	er (give title w)	Othe belo	er (specify w)
(Street) LAS VEGAS NV 89150-000 (City) (State) (Zip)			)2	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2011									Line	e) <mark>X</mark> Forn Forn	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  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. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5)  3. Open Transaction Code (Instr. 5)				Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership		
						Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or )	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 01/18/2							2011		A		2,150		A	\$37.8	7 7,8	33.3731	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		tr. 3	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Amended to correct RSUP data reported 1-19-11.

Karen W. Stanfield, POA 01/27/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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