#### SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY CO

Form 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BOLING MARK K** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Director

SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY CO

(Check all applicable)

Executive VP & General Counsel

[SWN]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

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

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

2350 N. SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY EAST, SUITE 300

4. If Amendment, Date Original

12/08/2005

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

HOUSTON, TX 77032

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

12/08/2005

\$0 4,770 (1)

 $164,120^{(2)}$ 

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 2.6					01/01/2003	01/01/2012	Common Stock	48,000	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 2.865					12/11/2003	12/11/2012	Common Stock	31,100	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 5.285					12/10/2004	12/10/2013	Common Stock	57,944	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 12.45					12/09/2005	12/09/2011	Common Stock	28,840	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 35.49	12/08/2005		A	16,930	12/08/2006 <sup>(7)</sup>	12/08/2012	Common Stock	16,930	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Ado	dress	Relationships					
7		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BOLING MARK K 2350 N. SAM HOUSTON PARKWA SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032	AY EAST			Executive VP & General Counsel			
Signatures							
Melissa D. McCarty, Attorney-in-Fact		)5					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

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### **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).
- (6) This option was previously reported as covering 7,210 shares at an exercise price of \$49.80 per share, and has been adjusted as a result of a 2-for-1 stock split on May 20, 2005, and a 2-for-1 stock split on November 3, 2005.
- (5) This option was previously reported as covering 14,486 shares at an exercise price of \$21.14, and has been adjusted as a result of a 2-for-1 stock split on May 20, 2005, and a 2-for-1 stock split on November 3, 2005.
- (1) Restricted stock and options granted in consideration of services of an officer.
- This option was previously reported as covering 15,553 shares at an exercise price of \$5.73, but was adjusted as a result of a 2-for-1 stock split on November 3, 2005.
- (3) This option was previously reported as covering 12,000 shares at an exercise price of \$10.40 per share, and has been adjusted as a result of a 2-for-1 stock split on May 20, 2005, and a 2-for-1 stock split on November 3, 2005.
- (2) On November 3, 2005, the common stock of Southwestern Energy Company split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 79,675 additional shares of common stock.
- Option becomes exercisable in three equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3 or immediately upon a change in control.

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