#### SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY CO

Form 5

February 14, 2017

FORM 5 **OMB** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 3235-0362 Number: Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if January 31, Expires: no longer subject 2005 to Section 16. Estimated average ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL Form 4 or Form burden hours per 5 obligations OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES response... 1.0 may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer KERLEY GREGORY D Symbol SOUTHWESTERN ENERGY CO (Check all applicable) [SWN] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) \_X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) Other (specify below) below) 12/31/2016 10000 ENERGY DRIVE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) SPRING, TXÂ 77389 \_X\_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned at Direct (D) Ownership end of or Indirect (Instr. 4) Issuer's (I) Fiscal Year (Instr. 4) (A) (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price Common

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)

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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. 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.22	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/09/2011(2)	12/09/2017	Common Stock	23,13
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.87	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/08/2012(2)	12/08/2018	Common Stock	29,27
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.5	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/06/2013(3)	12/06/2019	Common Stock	4,87
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.97	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/05/2014(3)	12/05/2020	Common Stock	4,68
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.59	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/04/2015(3)	12/04/2021	Common Stock	5,96
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.74	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/04/2016(3)	12/04/2022	Common Stock	18,17
Depositary Shares (series B Mandatory Preferred Interest)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	74,00

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KERLEY GREGORY D

10000 ENERGY DRIVE Â X Â Â

SPRING, TXÂ 77389

### **Signatures**

/s/ Melissa D. McCarty, Attorney-in-fact for Mr. Kerley

02/14/2017

\*\*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).
- On September 21, 2016, the Issuer declared a quarterly dividend of \$15.625 per share on its 6.25% Series B Mandatory Convertible
  Preferred Stock, payable on October 17, 2016, to holders of record on October 1, 2016. The dividend was paid in shares of common stock based on the Volume Weighted Average Price per share over the five consecutive trading day period ending on the second trading day immediately preceding the applicable dividend payment day, multiplied by 97%.
- (2) Incentive stock options become exercisable in three equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3 or immediately upon death, disability, retirement at age 65, or a change in control.
- (3) Nonqualified stock options become exercisable in three equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3 or immediately upon death, disability, retirement at age 65 with required years of service, or a change in control.
  - Each Depositary Share represents a 1/20th interest in a share of the Issuer's 6.25% Series B Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the "Series B Preferred Stock"). At any time prior to January 15, 2018, a holder of 20 Depositary Shares may cause the conversion of one share of the Series B Preferred Stock into a number of shares of the Issuer's Common Stock equal to the minimum
- (4) conversion rate of 37.0028, subject to adjustments for certain fundamental changes (as defined). Thus, each Depositary Share will convert into 1.85014 shares of Common Stock, subject to adjustment. On approximately January 15, 2018, the Depositary Shares mandatorily convert to Common Stock at a conversion rate ranging from 1.85014 to 2.1739 shares of Common Stock per Depositary Share (or a Series B Preferred Stock to Common Stock conversion rate ranging from 37.0028 to 43.4782 shares), subject to adjustment.

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