SWIFT ENERGY CO

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad DAMICO JO	_	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SWIFT ENERGY CO [SFY]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400			06/01/2006	Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & COO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
HOUSTON, TX 77060							

(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Se	curiti	es 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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 Common Stock-401(k)			Code	Amount	(D)	THEC	7,442	I	401(k)
SFY Cmmn Stock-ESOP Holding							899	I	ESOP
Swift Energy Common Stock	06/01/2006		<u>J(1)</u>	298	A	\$ 29.8435	21,384	D	
Swift Energy Common	07/05/2006		A	3,200	A	\$ 16.96	24,584	D	

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Stock							
Swift Energy Common Stock	07/05/2006	A	2,000	A	\$ 8.3	26,584	D
Swift Energy Common Stock	07/05/2006	S	5,000	D	\$ 44.08	21,584	D
Swift Energy Common Stock	07/05/2006	S	100	D	\$ 44.09	21,484	D
Swift Energy Common Stock	07/05/2006	S	100	D	\$ 44.12	21,384	D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat	Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
SQ01 Plan grt 2/4/2002	\$ 16.96	07/05/2006		M	3,200	02/04/2003	02/04/2012	Swift Energy Common Stock	6,400	
SQ01 Plan grt 11/11/2002 NQ	\$ 8.3	07/05/2006		M	2,000	11/11/2003	11/11/2012	Swift Energy Common Stock	6,000	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DAMICO JOSEPH A 16825 NORTHCHASE DRIVE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77060

EVP & COO

Signatures

Joseph D'Amico 07/06/2006

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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) Shares acquired under the SFY employee stock purchase plan.

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