FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Cook Lynton G III				<u>S1</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES INC SPN]									tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director Officer (give title			10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 LOUISIANA STREET SUITE 2900				Date o ./15/2		Transa	action (Mo	onth/D	Pay/Year)		,	below) below) Executive Vice President						
(Street)			77002		4.	Line) X Form file						oint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ed by One Reporting Person ed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S		(Zip)															
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. To Date		2. Tran Date	saction	action		3. Transa Code (3. 4. Securiting Disposed Code (Instr.		f, or Beneficially ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amou Securitie Benefici	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Transaci (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock		01/1	01/15/2014				A ⁽¹⁾		10,052	2 A	\$0	62	62,294 61,382 ⁽³⁾		D			
Common	nmon Stock 01/15		L5/201	2014		F ⁽²⁾		912	D	\$26.0	2 61,3	D						
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Derivative Conversion Date Ex Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if a		3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, Transaction Code (Instr			n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Options (right to buy)	\$26.02	01/15/2014			A		37,635		01/15/2015	5(4)	01/15/2024	Common Stock	37,635	\$0	37,63	5	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents a grant of restricted stock units from the issuer.
- 2. Shares withheld to cover taxes due upon the vesting of restricted stock.
- $3.\ Includes\ 3,221\ shares\ of\ common\ stock\ purchased\ through\ the\ company's\ employee\ stock\ purchase\ plan\ as\ of\ December\ 31,\ 2013.$
- 4. The stock options are exercisable in 1/3 annual increments beginning on the date indicated and ending on the second anniversary thereof.

/s/ William B. Masters, on behalf of Lynton G. Cook, III 01/17/2014 pursuant to a power of attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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