

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Spexarth James W.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE 2900 (Street) HOUSTON TX 77002 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES INC [SPN]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Accounting Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2018	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

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. 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 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(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2016		A		18,571		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	18,571	\$0.00	18,571	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2017		A		8,545		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8,545	\$0.00	8,545	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2018		A		14,824		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	14,824	\$0.00	14,824	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/01/2018		A		17,806		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	17,806	\$0.00	17,806	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.56	03/01/2018		A		34,329		01/15/2019 ⁽⁵⁾	01/15/2028	Common Stock	34,329	\$0.00	34,329	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2017 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.
- The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2018 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.
- The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2019 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.
- The stock options are exercisable in 1/3 annual increments beginning on the date indicated and ending on the second anniversary thereof.

Remarks:

/s/ William B. Masters, on behalf of James W. Spexarth, 03/02/2018 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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