## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRANDOLINI NUNO			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHENIERE ENERGY INC [LNG]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
245 FIFTH AVENUE, 25TH FLOOR			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/04/2012					Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify	/ below)		
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10016			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City		(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-I			n-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of S (Instr. 3)	Title of Security 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)		or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		06/04/2012		A		6,809	A	\$ 0 (1)	303,958			D	
Common	Stock									2,000			I	By Wife
Common	Stock									1,681,77	71		I	By Scorpion Capital Partners, L.P.
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo		ities beneficially ov	es Acquir	Persont the f	sons who tained in form dis	respo this fo plays a f, or Ber	rm are curre neficial	not requesting ntly valid	ction of inf iired to res OMB cont	spond unl	ess	C 1474 (9-02)
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	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/	Year) Execution Da	te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		and (Mo	Expiratio onth/Day/	n Date	Ame Und Sect	ount of lerlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owner Form Deriva Securi Direct or Ind	rship of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date		Expiratio Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

#### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BRANDOLINI NUNO 245 FIFTH AVENUE, 25TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10016	X						

### **Signatures**

/s/ Cara E. Carlson under POA by Nuno Brandolini	06/06/2012
**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).
- (1) The shares were issued as a restricted stock grant and therefore no consideration was given by the Reporting Person. The stock grant vests on June 4, 2013.

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