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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Addres SOUKI CHARII	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					
(Last) 700 MILAM ST	^(First) , SUITE 800	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2012						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman, CEO & President Other (specify below)			
HOUSTON, TX	(Street) 77002	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	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)	Code (Instr. 8)	tion	tion 4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form: Benefici Direct (D) Ownersh		
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (Instr. 4 (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		09/04/2012		S		15,000 (<u>1</u>)	D	\$ 14.8	3,407,546	D		
Common Stock									200,000	Ι	By Wife	
Common Stock									300,000	Ι	By Trust	

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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5.		6. Date Exer	cisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on	Numl	ber	and Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		of		(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Deriv	ative					(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Secur				(Instr	: 3 and			2	(Instr. 4)
	Security					Acqu	ired			4)			0	Direct (D)	
						(A) 0							- F	or Indirect	
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						4, and	15)								
											Amount				
								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable		Title	Number				
								LACICISADIC	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SOUKI CHARIF 700 MILAM ST SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Chairman, CEO & President					

Signatures

/s/ Cara E. Carlson under POA by Charif Souki	09/06/2012
-**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 sales reported in this Form 4 were affected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.

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