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 * Smith Jerry D.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHENIERE ENERGY INC [LNG]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 700 MILAM ST, SUITE 800					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2013								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP & Chief Accounting Officer				
(Street)					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					
	ON, TX 77			(7)													
(City	")	(State)		(Zip)			Tal	ble I - Non	-Deri	vative	Securities	Acqu	ired, Dispo	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Date	ransaction e onth/Day/Year)	Execut	. Deemed ecution Date, if onth/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	Beneficial	lly Owned Following Transaction(s)		Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	V	Amou	or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		12/06	5/2013				F		11,18 (1)	B7 D	\$ 44.9	215,815			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2.			//Year) E	A. Deemed xecution Date	(e.g., puts, calls, war 4. 5 Transaction N Code o Year) (Instr. 8) 5 A (L			the form disp es Acquired, Disposed of, urrants, options, convertil 5. 6. Date Exercis			of, or Ben tible secu cisable on Date	rities) 7. T Amount	ntly valid OMB con		9. Number of	of 10. Ownershi Form of	Owners (Instr. 4
								Disposed of (D) Instr. 3,	,						Transaction((Instr. 4)		
						Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners															
					Relationships												
Reporting Owner Name / Address		Director	10% Owner	Offi			_			Other							

VP & Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

HOUSTON, TX 77002

Smith Jerry D. 700 MILAM ST

SUITE 800

/s/ Cara E. Carlson under POA by Jerry D. Smith	12/10/2013		
**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) These shares were withheld by the Company in order to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax liability incident to a vesting of restricted stock.

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