FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Foley David		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHENIERE ENERGY INC [LNG]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P.,, 345 PARK AVENUE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2017				•	Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify be	elow)		
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10154			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-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					Owned					
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	(Instr. 8	(A) or Disposed of (I		of (D)	ed 5. Amount of Securities		following (s)	6. 7 Ownership o	Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			\ /	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/1	18/2017		A		2,464	A	\$ 0 (1)	0 (2)			D	
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	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Foley David C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P., 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	X					

Signatures

/s/ David Foley	05/22/2017
***Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- ** 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.
 - Mr. Foley disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and the inclusion of the securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership for
- (2) purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose. Mr. Foley is an employee of The Blackstone Group L.P. or one of its affiliates ("Blackstone"). Pursuant to arrangements between Mr. Foley and Blackstone, Mr. Foley is required to transfer to Blackstone any and all compensation received in connection with his directorship for any company Blackstone invests in or advises.

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