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* KILPATRICK DAVID B				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					
9105 ST. CLOUD LANE (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2005						Office	er (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify b	elow)	
(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					
BAKERS	SFIELD, C	CA 93311										ou of more man	one reporting	. 015011	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Т	able l	- Non	-Deri	ivative	Securitie	s Acqu	iired, Disp	osed of, or l	Beneficially (Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		f Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)		Code	V	Amour	(A) or	Price		str. 3 and 4)		\ /	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		12/08/2005			A	v	4,156	. ,	\$ 0	32,168			D	
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Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/	Year) Execution Da	te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)	Num of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Disp of (E) (Inst:	Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Am Und Sec	Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	On Titl	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

D (O N (Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KILPATRICK DAVID B 9105 ST. CLOUD LANE BAKERSFIELD, CA 93311	X					

Signatures

David B. Kilpatrick	12/12/2005			
**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 in three equal installments on December 8, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

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