

Messenbaugh Laura Patricia  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Messenbaugh Laura Patricia

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 SMF ENERGY CORP [FUEL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 200 W CYPRESS CREEK RD, SUITE 400

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 06/29/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 See Remarks

(Street)  
 FT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

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**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                             |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | \$                                |
| Common Stock                    | 06/29/2009 <sup>(1)</sup>            |  | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 13,416  | A  | 0.38                              |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 14,711                            |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | <sup>(1)</sup>                    |

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)**

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |             |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer     | Other |
| Messenbaugh Laura Patricia<br>200 W CYPRESS CREEK RD<br>SUITE 400<br>FT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309 |               |           | See Remarks |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Laura Patricia  
Messenbaugh

07/01/2009

\*\*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) On June 29, 2009 (the "Effective Date"), SMF Energy Corporation (the "Company") accepted a series of agreements pursuant to which it restructured its outstanding debt and equity capital (the "Recapitalization"). As part of the Recapitalization, the Company entered into Exchange Agreements (the "Exchange Agreements") with the holders of its outstanding Series A, B and C Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Preferred Stock") pursuant to which the Company exchanged all of the outstanding shares of its Preferred Stock and all accrued and unpaid dividends thereon for shares of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock (the "Shares"). In accordance with the Exchange Agreements, on the Effective Date, the reporting person was issued 13,416 Shares. The Shares were valued at \$0.38 per share, which is equal to or greater than the closing bid price of the Company's common stock on the Nasdaq Capital Market on the day immediately preceding the Effective Date.

### Remarks:

V.P. Finance & Accounting, CAO and Principal Accounting Officer

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