

MCSHANE MICHAEL

Form 4

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**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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See Instruction  
1(b).**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 \*  
MCSHANE MICHAEL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SUPERIOR ENERGY  
SERVICES, INC., 601 POYDRAS  
STREET, SUITE 2400

(Street)

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES  
INC [SPN]3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/07/20124. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/07/2012		A	40,168 (1)	A 40,168	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(9-02)**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. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/07/2012		A		1,025	(3) (3) Common Stock	1,025 \$

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCSHANE MICHAEL  
C/O SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC.  
601 POYDRAS STREET, SUITE 2400  
NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

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## Signatures

/s/ William B. Masters on behalf of Michael M.  
McShane

02/08/2012

\*\*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).

- Acquired pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger between Complete Production Services, Inc. ("Complete"), the Issuer and an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer in exchange for shares of Complete common stock. Each share of Complete common stock held by the Reporting Person at the effective time of the merger was converted into 0.945 shares of Issuer common stock plus \$7.00 in cash, without interest, plus cash in lieu of any fractional shares of Superior common stock.
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest immediately upon grant, but the shares of common stock payable upon vesting will not be delivered to the reporting person until he ceases to serve on the board of directors of the Issuer.
- (3)

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