#### FOREST OIL CORP

Form 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Cecil N. Colwell

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(First) (Middle) (Last)

FOREST OIL CORP [FST]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

707 SEVENTEENTH

11/13/2007

(Month/Day/Year)

below) below) Senior V.P. Worldwide Drilling

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

STREET, SUITE 3600

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

DENVER, CO 80202

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionof **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Code Security or Exercise Derivative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	200	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	200
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	600	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	600
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	100	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	500	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	500
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	100	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	300	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	300
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	900	<u>(2)</u>	12/12/2011	Common Stock	900
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	100	<u>(2)</u>	12/12/2011	Common Stock	100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007		M	200	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	200

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Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007	M	100	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.82	11/13/2007	M	610	(2)	12/12/2011	Common Stock	610
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.02	11/13/2007	M	150	(3)	12/07/2010	Common Stock	150

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cecil N. Colwell 707 SEVENTEENTH STREET SUITE 3600 DENVER, CO 80202

Senior V.P. Worldwide Drilling

11/15/2007

## **Signatures**

By: Lizbeth J. Stenmark, attorney-in-fact For: Cecil N. Colwell

\*\*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).
- On March 2, 2006, Forest completed a spin-off transaction involving a wholly-owned subsidiary, which was subsequently merged with a subsidiary of Mariner Energy, Inc. The number and the exercise price of all outstanding stock options granted under Forest's equity incentive plans were adjusted to reflect the spin-off.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in four equal installments on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (3) This option becomes exercisable in installments: 20 percent of this option vests immediately and the remaining 80 percent of this option vests in 20 percent increments on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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