

Spexarth James W.  
Form 4  
March 02, 2018

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Spexarth James W.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES  
INC [SPN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1001 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE  
2900

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2018

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Accounting Officer

(Street)  
HOUSTON, TX 77002

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)						
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2016	A		18,571		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	18,571		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2017	A		8,545		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8,545		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/15/2018	A		14,824		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	14,824		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/01/2018	A		17,806		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	17,806		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.56	03/01/2018	A		34,329		01/15/2019(5)	01/15/2028	Common Stock	34,329		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Spexarth James W. 1001 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE 2900 HOUSTON, TX 77002	Chief Accounting Officer
/s/ William B. Masters, on behalf of James W. Spexarth, pursuant to a power of attorney	03/02/2018
**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2017 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2018 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.

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- (4) The restricted stock units vest in 1/3 annual increments beginning on January 15, 2019 and ending on the second anniversary thereof.
- (5) The stock options are exercisable in 1/3 annual increments beginning on the date indicated and ending on the second anniversary thereof.

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