

Moore Brian K  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Moore Brian K

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/07/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Executive Vice Pres.

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

(Street)

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

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

(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 (A) or (D) Price (1) (2)   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/07/2012                           |  |                                | A   | 271,922 (1) (2)   | A  | D                                 |

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) |                  |                 |              |                  |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | (A)  | (D)   | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount           |
|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |   |                  |                 |              | Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 20.01   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 19,918<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 04/20/2016      | Common Stock | 19,918           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 16.56   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 20,998<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 01/31/2017      | Common Stock | 20,998           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 16.29   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 31,437<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 03/20/2017      | Common Stock | 31,437           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 13.26   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 56,156<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 01/31/2018      | Common Stock | 56,156           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 5.35  | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 166,548<br>(3)   |   | (4)              | 01/30/2019      | Common Stock | 166,548          |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 10.45   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 88,073<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 01/29/2020      | Common Stock | 88,073           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 23.29   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 44,276<br>(3)  |   | (4)              | 01/31/2021      | Common Stock | 44,276           |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 28.09   | 02/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 40,077<br>(3)  |   | 01/31/2013(5)    | 01/31/2022      | Common Stock | 40,077           |

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director      10% Owner      Officer      Other

Moore Brian K  
C/O SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC.  
601 POYDRAS STREET, SUITE 2400  
NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

Senior  
Executive  
Vice Pres.

## Signatures

/s/ William B. Masters on behalf of Brian K.  
Moore

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 (the "Merger Agreement") 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. With
- (1) the exception of 29,000 shares of Complete restricted stock granted to the Reporting Person on January 31, 2012, 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.
  - (2) Includes 34,798 shares of Issuer restricted stock which vest in three equal annual installments commencing on January 31, 2013, subject to continued service with the Issuer. Such shares of Issuer restricted stock were acquired in exchange for the 29,000 shares of Complete restricted stock based on the stock award exchange ratio of 1.199916 established in the Merger Agreement.
  - (3) Acquired pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for options to purchase shares of Complete common stock. Each option to purchase a share of Complete common stock was converted into an option to purchase 1.99916 shares of Issuer common stock, rounded down to the nearest share. The exercise price of the Issuer options is equal to the exercise price of the corresponding Complete options, divided by 1.199916, rounded up to the nearest whole cent.
  - (4) Represents options that became fully vested and exercisable at the effective time of the merger.
  - (5) The option vests in three equal annual installments, commencing on the date indicated.

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