

SHEFFIELD SCOTT D  
Form 4  
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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

**FORM 4**

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
SHEFFIELD SCOTT D.			EVERGREEN RESOURCES, INC. ("EVG")			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director	10% Owner		
						Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
4519 BYRON CIRCLE				03/20/03					
(Street)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
IRVING, TEXAS 75038									
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<b>Table I — Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>						
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)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	03/20/03	N/A	M	3,400	A	\$7.00			
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	03/20/03	N/A	M	1,900	A	\$14.63			
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	03/20/03	N/A	M	1,650	A	\$18.50			
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	03/20/03	N/A	M	2,400	A	\$27.38			
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	03/20/03	N/A	S	9,350	D	\$44.98	2,000	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.  
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FORM 4 (continued Scott D. Sheffield)	Table II — Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
	1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Con- version or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	3. Trans- action Date  (Month/ Day/ Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any  (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr.8)	5. Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Ac- quired (A) or Dis- posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Exer- cisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/ Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5)	9. Number of deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Trans- action(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deri- vative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Benefi- cial Own- ership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$7.00	03/20/03		M			3,400	05/12/90	05/11/03	Common Stock	3,400			
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$14.63	03/20/03		M			1,900	01/22/99	01/21/04	Common Stock	1,900			
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$18.50	03/20/03		M			1,650	02/07/00	02/06/05	Common Stock	1,650			
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$27.38	03/20/03		M			2,400	12/01/00	11/30/05	Common Stock	2,400	0		

Explanation of Responses:

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

\_\_\_\_\_/s/ Scott D. Sheffield

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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