YORK DOUGLAS W Form 4 March 17, 2005

# FORM 4

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

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

YORK DOUGLAS W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1776 LINCOLN ST, STE 700

(Street)

**DENVER, CO 80202** 

(Instr. 3)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ST MARY LAND & EXPLORATION CO [SM]

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

03/15/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

Exec V.P. and COO+

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ 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

(City) (State)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Code (Instr. 8)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Form: Direct (I)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

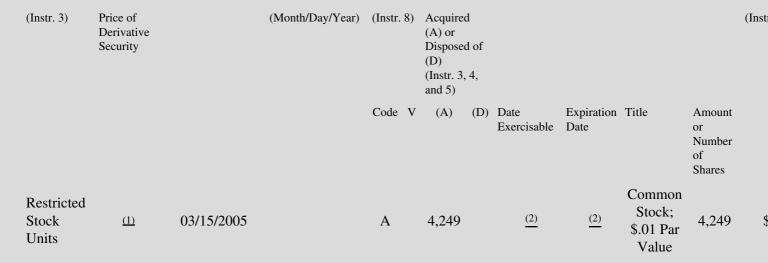
6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

YORK DOUGLAS W 1776 LINCOLN ST STE 700 DENVER, CO 80202

Exec V.P. and COO+

### **Signatures**

James C. Robertson (Attorney-In-Fact)

03/17/2005

\*\*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 unit represents a contingent right to recieve on share of SM common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in four equal installments beginning March 15, 2005. Vested shares will be issued to the reporting person on March 15, 2008, at which time all restrictions lapse.

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