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Form 4

April 01, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

 Name and Address of Reporting Person Sondeno, Dudley J 5241 Spring Mountain Road Las Vegas, NV 89150

Las Vegas, NV 89150

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Southwest Gas Corporation SWX

- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year 03/31/2002
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 () Director () 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) () Other
 (specify below)

Senior Vice President/Chief Knowledge and Technology Officer

- 7. 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-Derivativ	re Securities Acquired,	Disposed of, or E	Beneficially	Owned
1. Title of Security	2. 3. 4.Sec Transaction or 	Disposed of (D)		5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
Common Stock	02/26/ S V 2,307	D 	\$23.28	445 (1)
Common Stock	03/05/ M 25,00	0 A	\$15.00	
Common Stock	03/05/ S 25,00	0 D I	\$23.3056	
Common Stock	03/05/ M 6,250 2002	A 	\$19.1250	
Common Stock	03/05/ S 6,250 2002	D 	\$23.3056	
Common Stock	03/05/ M 5,000 2002	A 	\$23.0625	
Common Stock	03/05/ S 5,000 2002	D 	\$23.3056	18 , 275

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Security	version Transaction									_	_	of
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	Price of Deriva-											1 + + (
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			Code	V ¢	Amount		ble			00		İ
Employee Stock Option	\$15.00	103/05	M		125,000	D	(2)	07/14	Common	Stock	125,000	1
- •		/2002		I				1/2006			I	1
(right to buy)							 					
Employee Stock Option	\$19.1250	03/05	M		6,250	D	(3)	07/14	Common	Stock	6 , 250	
- ·					I			1/2007			1	1
(right to buy)						I	 					
Employee Stock Option	\$23.0625	03/05			5,000	D	 (4)	07/20	Common	 Stock	5,000	
								1/2008			1	I
 (right to buy)	 		 	 		 	 		 			
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Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Intra plan transfer out of company stock fund of 401(k) plan.
- (2) Option vested in three equal installments on July 15, 1997, 1998 and 1999.
- (3) Option vested in three equal installments on July 15, 1998, 1999 and 2000.
- (4) Option vested in three equal installments on July 21, 1999, 2000 and 2001.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

/s/Dudley J. Sondeno by Faye J. Ringler, Attorney in Fact \mathtt{DATE}

04/01/2002