CABOT OIL & GAS CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

02/23/2006

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Arnold J Sc	Symbol		Ticker or Trading GAS CORP [COG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle) 3. Date o	f Earliest Ti	ransaction	(Cliec	к ан аррисаон	,
1200 ENCL	AVE PARKWA	`	Day/Year) 006		DirectorX Officer (give below) Vice	e title 10% below) President, Land	er (specify
	(Street)	4. If Amo	endment, Da	nte Original	6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Filin	g(Check
HOUSTON	, TX 77077	Filed(Mo	nth/Day/Year	·)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by 0 Form filed by N Person	One Reporting Per More than One Re	
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount

3,850

 $A^{(1)}$

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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32,493

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(A)

(D)

A

Price

47.595

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	•	7. Title and A Underlying So (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance Shares	\$ 0 (2)	02/23/2006		A	4,300	12/31/2008(2)	12/31/2008(2)	Common
Stock Appreciation Right (3)	\$ 47.595	02/23/2006		A	11,000	02/23/2007(3)	02/23/2013	Common

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Arnold J Scott 1200 ENCLAVE PARKWAY HOUSTON, TX 77077

Vice President, Land

Signatures

Lisa A. Machesney Attorney-in-fact for Arnold J Scott. 02/27/2006

**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) Restricted Stock Award to Reporting Person under 2004 Incentive Plan. Restrictions lapse in increments of one-third (i.e. 1,284, 1,283, and 1,283) on February 23, 2007, February 23, 2008 and February 23, 2009, respectively.
- (2) The performance shares provide for payment in common stock and cash in an amount ranging from 0-200% of the performance shares awarded based upon certain performance criteria over a three year performance period.
- (3) Grant to reporting person under 2004 Incentive Plan. SAR becomes exercisable in increments of one-third, (i.e. 3,667, 3,667 and 3,666) on February 23, 2007, February 23, 2008 and February 23, 2009, respectively.

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