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# 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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* SCHNEIDER WILLIAM D

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

/DE/ [NFX]

(Month/Day/Year)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

below)

363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. E., 02/14/2007

(Middle)

#2020

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Vice President - International

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Securities

Owned **Following** 

HOUSTON, TX 77060

(City) (State) (Zip) 3.

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

(A)

Code V Amount (D)

common stock

02/14/2007 \$0 138,646 (1) A 25,000 Α 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day/ e	•		ng	8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee stock optright to buy	\$ 19.02 (2)					(2)	02/09/2011	common stock	3,000 (2)	
Employee stock optright to buy	\$ 16.87 (3)					(3)	02/07/2012	common stock	12,000 (3)	
Employee stock optright to buy	\$ 17.84 (4)					<u>(4)</u>	11/26/2012	common stock	10,000 (4)	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
and the second of the second o	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SCHNEIDER WILLIAM D 363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. E., #2020 HOUSTON, TX 77060			Vice President - International					
Signatures								
Schneider	William D.		02/15/2007					
**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).
- The total includes 236 shares acquired by the reporting person on 6/30/06 and 274 shares acquired on 12/31/2006 under the Issuer's (1) Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 15,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vest(ed) in five equal annual (2) installments beginning 02/09/2002. This option was previously reported as covering 7,500 shares at an exercise price of \$38.03 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.

2 Reporting Owners

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- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 20,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vest(ed) in five equal annual (3) installments beginning 02/07/2003. This option was previously reported as covering 10,000 shares at an exercise price of \$33.73 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 10,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vest(ed) in five equal annual (4) installments beginning 11/26/2003. This option was previously reported as covering 5,000 shares at an exercise price of \$35.68 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.

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