

NICHOLS J LARRY
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 NICHOLS J LARRY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DEVON ENERGY CORP/DE [DVN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 20 NORTH BROADWAY
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/09/2004

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman and CEO

OKLAHOMA
 CITY, OK 73102-8260

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

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (D) Price		
Common Stock	12/09/2004		A		62,500 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0
Common Stock					1,073,724	D	
Common Stock					157,248	I	by Spouse
Common Stock					85,930	I	by Trust

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 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.45	12/09/2004		A	2,600	12/09/2004 ⁽²⁾	12/08/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.45	12/09/2004		A	122,400	12/09/2004 ⁽²⁾	12/08/2012	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NICHOLS J LARRY 20 NORTH BROADWAY OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102-8260	X		Chairman and CEO	

Signatures

By: Janice A. Dobbs For: J. Larry Nichols
12/13/2004

__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 to vest twenty-five percent on the 9th day of December in each of the years 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

(2) Stock Options to vest twenty percent on the 9th day of December in each of the years 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008, expiring on December 8, 2012.

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