FORM 4

# **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Quintana Julio M					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SM Energy Co [ SM ]								itionship of F all applicab Director	eporting Person(s) to Issuer e) 10% Owner				
(Last)	(First)	(Mi	iddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/25/2013								Officer (g below)	ive title		Other (s	specify	
1775 SHERMAN ST SUITE 1200					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(Street) DENVER (City)	CO (State)	80 (Zij	203 p)											Form file	d by More	than O	ne Reportin	g Person
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Exe		A. Deemed execution Date, any Month/Day/Year)				4. Securities Of (D) (Instr.		or Disposed	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Form	nership : Direct (D) lirect (I) . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price					(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	5/2013				S		15,017	D	\$88.6895(1	18,	,602		D					
	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)	ive Conversion Date Execution Date, y (Instr. 3) or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		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 Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Evaluation of Bo					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	Oii(S)		

## Remarks:

Karin M. Writer (Attorney-In-

Fact)

11/27/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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<sup>1.</sup> The price reflects an average of multiple transaction prices ranging from \$88.60 to \$88.74

### INSIDER TRADING POLICY

#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of A. Wade Pursell, David W. Copeland, James B. Lebeckand Karin M. Writer the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder:
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete the execution of any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and the timely filing of such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any other authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. This Power of Attorney executed by the undersigned and related to Forms 3, 4 and 5 promulgated pursuant to Section 16(c) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. This Power of Attorney can only be revoked by delivering a signed, original "Revocation of Power of Attorney" to the attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 18th day of December, 2012.

/s/ Julio M. Quintana Signature

Name: Julio M. Quintana