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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BLANCHARD KENNETH** Issuer Symbol SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES (Check all applicable) INC [SPN] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 601 POYDRAS STREET, SUITE 12/04/2008 President and COO 2400 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount Common  $A^{(1)}$ 12/04/2008 \$0 D 26,196 Α 97,485 Stock Common 15,794 I **Spouse** Stock

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | Expiration (Month/I | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount o<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                    |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--|--------------------|--|------------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | and 5) (A) (D)  | Date Exe            | ercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Share |
| Options (right to buy)                              | \$ 12.86  | 12/04/2008                              |   | A                                      | 55,498  | 12/31/2             | 2009(2)  | 12/04/2018         | Common<br>Stock  | 55,498                             |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BLANCHARD KENNETH 601 POYDRAS STREET SUITE 2400 NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

President and COO

## **Signatures**

/s/William B. Masters on behalf of Kenneth Blanchard

12/08/2008

\*\*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) Represents a grant of restricted stock from the company.
- (2) The stock options are exercisable in 1/3 annual increments beginning the date indicated and ending on the second anniversary thereof.

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