KEYTE DAVID H

Form 4

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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

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad KEYTE DA	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FOREST OIL CORP [FST]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Cheek all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
707 SEVENTEENTH STREET,, SUITE 3600			12/02/2005	X Officer (give title Other (specify			
				below) below)			
				EVP & CFO			
(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			
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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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	12/02/2005		Code V M	Amount 1,000		Price \$ 14.875	(Instr. 3 and 4) 12,616	D			
Common Stock	12/02/2005		S	1,000	D	\$ 46.75	11,616	D			
Common Stock	12/02/2005		M	3,500	A	\$ 14.875	15,116	D			
Common Stock	12/02/2005		S	3,500	D	\$ 47.05	11,616	D			
Common Stock	12/02/2005		M	300	A	\$ 14.875	11,916	D			

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Common Stock	12/02/2005	S	300	D	\$ 47.25	11,616	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2005	M	2,700	A	\$ 14.875	14,316	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2005	S	2,700	D	\$ 47.24	11,616	D	
Common Stock						783	I	By 401(k) Plan
Common Stock						600	I	Trust-Daughter $\underline{(1)}$
Common Stock						444	I	Trust-Son (2)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.875	12/02/2005		M	1,000	(3)	03/23/2009	Common Stock	1,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.875	12/02/2005		M	3,500	<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2009	Common Stock	3,50
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.875	12/02/2005		M	300	<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2009	Common Stock	300
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.875	12/02/2005		M	2,700	(3)	03/23/2009	Common Stock	2,70

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KEYTE DAVID H 707 SEVENTEENTH STREET, SUITE 3600 DENVER, CO 80202

EVP & CFO

Signatures

By: Roberta L. Louis, Attorney-in-Fact For: David H. Keyte

12/05/2005

**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).
- Shares held in irrevocable trust for daughter. The reporting person's spouse is the trustee of the trust. The reporting person disclaims

 (1) beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the benefical owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.
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- (3) This option becomes exercisable in installments: 20 percent of this option vests immediately and the remaining 80 percent of this option vests in 20 percent increments on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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