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(Print or Type l	Responses)									
1. Name and A WRIGHT T	Symbol	er Name and HWEST (Trading RP [SWX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) 5241 SPRIN	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earlie (Month/Day/Yea 241 SPRING MOUNTAIN ROAD 05/05/2005				ransaction		_X_ Director	title 10% Owner below)		
				endment, D onth/Day/Yea	-	1	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 			
LAS VEGA	AS, NV 89150000	02					Person	wore than one R	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deema Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Reminder: Rer	oort on a separate line	e for each cl	ass of sec	urities bene	ficially own	ned directly o	or indirectly.			
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	Tab	le II - Deriv	ative Sec	curities Acq	uired, Dis	posed of, or	Beneficially Owned	d		

(*e.g.*, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	S
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired			(I

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	Derivative Security						(A) orDisposed(D)(Instr. 3, and 5)					
				C	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) 2005	\$ 25	05/05/2005			A		3,000 (1)		05/05/2006	05/04/2015	Common stock	3,000
Repor	ting Ow	ners										
Reporting Owner Name / Address		D .	Relation	-		0.1						
WRIGHT	TERRANCE	L	Director	10% Owner	r Of	ffice	er Othe	er				
	ING MOUNT GAS, NV 8915		Х									
Signa	tures											
By: Kath		05/0	6/2005									

Signatures	
By: Kathy M. Bailey, POA	05/06/2005
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Stock options vest in three annual installments of 1200 shares in 2006, 900 shares in 2007 and 900 shares in 2008

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