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#### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CUSHING MLP ASSET MANAGEMENT, LP			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2012	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Cushing Royalty & Income Fund [SRF]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
8117 PRESTON ROAD, SUITE 440				(Chec	· · ·			
DALLAS,Â	(Street) TXÂ 752	25		.e			<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group</li> <li>Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting</li> <li>Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One</li> <li>Reporting Person</li> </ul>	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	*	
Common Sh	ares		4,188		D	Â		
Reminder: Repo			ch class of securities benefic	ially	SEC 1473 (7-02	)		
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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
			Derivative	Security:	

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr 5)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
CUSHING MLP ASSET MANAGEMENT, LP 8117 PRESTON ROAD, SUITE 440 DALLAS, TX 75225	Â	ÂX	Â	Investment Adviser	

### Signatures

/s/ Jerry V. Swank, Manager of Swank Capital, LLC, the General Partner of Cushing MLP Asset Management, LP 02/22/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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