

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO /DE/

Form 4

February 10, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**RIGGS SUSAN G**

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO**  
**/DE/ [NFX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. E.,**  
**#2020**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

02/08/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
Treasurer

(Street)  
**HOUSTON, TX 77060**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(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(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock	02/08/2005		A	5,000	A \$ 63.56	12,893 <sup>(1)</sup>	D

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)**

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 29.81					<u>(3)</u>	02/10/2010	common stock	6,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 30.81					<u>(2)</u>	08/15/2009	common stock	5,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 29.81					<u>(3)</u>	02/10/2010	common stock	2,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 38.03					<u>(4)</u>	02/09/2011	common stock	4,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 33.73					<u>(5)</u>	02/07/2012	common stock	5,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 32.5					<u>(6)</u>	08/14/2012	common stock	2,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 33.2					<u>(7)</u>	02/12/2013	common stock	3,000	
Employee stock opt.-right to buy	\$ 48.98					<u>(8)</u>	02/12/2014	common stock	5,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RIGGS SUSAN G 363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. E., #2020 HOUSTON, TX 77060			Treasurer	

## Signatures

\_\_\_\_\_, Susan G. 02/10/2005  
Riggs

\_\_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) The total includes 145 shares and 121 shares acquired by the reporting person on June 30, 2004 and December 31, 2004, respectively, pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) The options vest(ed) in five equal annual installments beginning 8/15/2000.
- (3) The options vest(ed) in five equal annual installments beginning 02/10/2001.
- (4) The options vest(ed) in five equal annual installments beginning 02/09/2002.
- (5) The options vest(ed) in five equal annual installments beginning 02/07/2003.
- (6) The options vest(ed) in five equal annual installments beginning 08/14/2003.
- (7) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning 02/12/2004.
- (8) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginnin 02/12/2005.

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