

Swank Jerry V  
Form 3  
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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Swank Jerry V  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE CUSHING  
RENAISSANCE FUND, 8117  
PRESTON ROAD, SUITE 440

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75225

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)  
09/25/2012

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Cushing Renaissance Fund [SZC]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
CEO and President / Trustee,  
Chairman of the Board

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

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect (I)  
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

Common Shares of Beneficial Interest

4,188

I

By virtue of control of Cushing MLP Asset Management, LP

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title (Instr. 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Swank Jerry V C/O THE CUSHING RENAISSANCE FUND 8117 PRESTON ROAD, SUITE 440 DALLAS, TX 75225	Â	Â	Â CEO and President	Trustee, Chairman of the Board

## Signatures

/s/ Barry Y. Greenberg, attorney-in-fact for Jerry V.  
Swank

09/26/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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