#### NICHOLS J LARRY

Form 4

December 14, 2005

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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* NICHOLS J LARRY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol **DEVON ENERGY CORP/DE** [DVN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

Common

Common

Stock

(First)

(Street)

(State)

12/12/2005

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/12/2005

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

20 NORTH BROADWAY

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

CHAIRMAN AND CEO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

\_X\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

**OKLAHOMA** CITY, OK 73102-8260

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature o
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

posed of (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

es Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or Amount (D)

Code V Price

54,200 A \$0 A

1,199,924 D (1)

Common 157,248 by Spouse Stock

85,930 Stock

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 66.39	12/12/2005		A	1,506	12/12/2005(2)	12/11/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 66.39	12/12/2005		A	139,594	12/12/2005(2)	12/11/2013	Common Stock

### **Reporting Owners**

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NICHOLS J LARRY 20 NORTH BROADWAY

20 NORTH BROADWAY X CHAIRMAN AND CEO OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102-8260

**Signatures** 

By: Janice A. Dobbs For: J. Larry Nichols 12/14/2005

\*\*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).
- (1) Restricted stock to vest twenty-five percent on the 12th day of December in each of the years 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.
- (2) Stock Options to vest twenty percent on the 12th day of December in each of the years 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009, expiring on December 11, 2013.

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