

Chamblee Clifford V
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Chamblee Clifford V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS GROUP INC [HLX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 400 NORTH SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY, SUITE 400
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/03/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP - Contracting Services

HOUSTON, TX 77060

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	01/03/2012		A	16,218	A	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	59,284 D
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F	587 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 15.8	58,697 D
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F	444 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 15.8	58,253 D
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F	444 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 15.8	57,809 D
Common Stock	01/04/2012		F	620 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 16.69	57,189 D

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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 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 Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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400 NORTH SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY
SUITE 400
HOUSTON, TX 77060

EVP -
Contracting
Services

Signatures

/s/ Clifford V. Chamblee 01/05/2012

__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) This restricted stock award was granted pursuant to the Company's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan and therefore has no purchase or sales price.
- (2) These shares were forfeited to satisfy tax obligations related to the vesting of the reporting person's restricted stock award.

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