SOUTHWEST GAS CORP

Form 4

September 04, 2002 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 4 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP () Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b). 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Centrella, Roy R 5241 Spring Mountain Road Las Vegas, NV 89140 USA 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Southwest Gas Corporation SWX 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary) 4. Statement for Month/Year 09/03/2002 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year) 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) () Director () 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below) Vice President/Chief Accounting Officer/Controller 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

- (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
- () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of Security	2. 3. 4.Securities A Transaction or Disposed	5.Amount of Securities			
		A/	Beneficially Owned at		
	Date Code V Amount	D Price	End of Month		
Common Stock	09/03/ J (1 39 2002)	A \$20.60 	6,095 (2) 		

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Table II -- Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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Explanation of Responses: (1) Pursuant to a stock dividend/dividend reinvestment feature of SWX restricted stock plan paid on 9/3/02 with record date of 8/15/02. (2) Includes shares acquired in March and June 2002 pursuant to the dividend reinvestment feature of SWX restricted stock plan. SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON /s/Roy R. Centrella by Faye J. Ringler, Attorney in fact DATE 09/04/2002