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SMITH JEFFRY A Symbol				r Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading O ENERGY CORP [MXC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle) 3. ]	Date of ]	Earliest Tra	insaction			(Check all applicable)				
				/Day/Year)				Director       10% Owner         Officer (give title      X Other (specify below)         below)       below)         Consulting Geologist				
Filed(Mont				ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>				
MIDLAND, TX US 79702												
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ace	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			)	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)			
MXC					mount	(D)	1 1100					
Common Stock	09/04/2009			М	500	А	\$7	10,719	D			
MXC Common Stock	09/04/2009			S	500	D	\$ 11	10,219 <u>(1)</u>	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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numbe on f 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. l De Sec (In
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
MXC Common Stock	\$ 7	09/04/2009	М	500	) 11/20/2004	11/20/2013	MXC Common Stock	500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Addr	ess	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
SMITH JEFFRY A P. O. BOX 1374 MIDLAND, TX US 79702				Consulting Geologist					
Signatures									
Jeffry A. Smith	09/07/2009								
<pre>**Signature of Reporting Person</pre>	Date								

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- \* 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) Direct beneficial holdings after the sale total 10,219 shares which include vested options to acquire 10,109 shares of the Registrant's Common Stock (\$0.50 par value) at the following prices: 5,709 shares @ \$8.24 per share and 4,400 shares @ \$7.00 per share.
- The shares vest 1/4 each year from grant date for four consecutive years as follows: 4,400 options @ \$7.00 were granted on 11/20/2003
  (2) and expire on 11/20/2013; 8,209 options @ \$8.24 were granted on 7/12/2006 and expire on 7/12/2011; 7,500 options @ \$4.35 were granted on 12/10/2007 and expire on 12/10/2012. Of these 20,109 shares, 10,109 are vested.

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