

# **ENERGY XXI GULF COAST, INC.**

Reported by  
**SWENT JAMES W III**

## **FORM 4**

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 01/03/18 for the Period Ending 01/01/18

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Address     | 1021 MAIN STREET<br>SUITE 2626<br>HOUSTON, TX, 77002 |
| Telephone   | 713-351-3000   |
| CIK         | 0001404973   |
| Symbol      | EXXI   |
| Fiscal Year | 12/31  |

# FORM 4

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

OMB APPROVAL  
OMB Number: 3235-0287  
Estimated average burden  
hours per response... 0.5

[ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or  
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person -*</b><br><br><b>SWENT JAMES W III</b><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><br><b>1021 MAIN STREET, SUITE 2626</b><br><br>(Street)<br><br><b>HOUSTON, TX 77002</b><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | <b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b><br><br><b>Energy XXI Gulf Coast, Inc. [ EXXI ]</b> | <b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director _____ 10% Owner<br>_____ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)     |
| <b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)</b><br><br><p align="center"><b>1/1/2018</b></p>  |   | <b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b><br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| <b>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>  |   |   |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Trans. Date | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 3. Trans. 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) |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---|------------|-------|---|--|---|
|                                 |                |                                   | Code                      | V | Amount  | (A) or (D) | Price |   |  |   |

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

| 1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Trans. Date  | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Trans. 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 |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|-----|---|-----------------|---|----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|  |  |                 |                                   | Code                      | V | (A)  | (D) | Date Exercisable                        | Expiration Date | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Restricted Stock Units (1)</b>        | <b>(2)</b>   | <b>1/1/2018</b> |                                   | <b>A</b>                  |   | <b>8796</b>  |     | <b>(3)</b>                              | <b>(3)</b>      | <b>Common Stock</b>   | <b>8796</b>                | <b>\$0</b>                                 | <b>8796</b>  | <b>D</b>   |  |

#### Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The restricted stock units were awarded under the Energy XXI Gulf Coast, Inc. 2016 Long Term Incentive Plan to Mr. Swent.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Energy XXI Gulf Coast, Inc.
- (3) The restricted stock units will vest 100% on the date of the 2018 annual meeting of stockholders of Energy XXI Gulf Coast, Inc., so long as Mr. Swent is a member of the Board immediately prior to such stockholder meeting.

#### Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| <b>SWENT JAMES W III<br/>1021 MAIN STREET<br/>SUITE 2626<br/>HOUSTON, TX 77002</b> | <b>X</b>      |           |         |       |

#### Signatures

/s/ **James W. Swent III**

**1/3/2018**

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.