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# FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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| Telephone | 6196962000 |
| CIK | 0001032208 |
| Symbol | SRE |
| SIC Code | 4932 - Gas and Other Services Combined |
| Industry | Natural Gas Utilities |
| Sector | Utilities |
| Fiscal Year | 12/31 |

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |
|---|---|---|
| **HOUSEHOLDER JOSEPH A**<br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | **SEMPRA ENERGY [ SRE ]** | _____ Director _____ 10% Owner |
| **101 ASH STREET**<br>(Street) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)<br>**1/3/2012** | __ **X** __ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)<br>**Executive VP and CFO** |
| **SAN DIEGO, CA 92101**<br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br>_ **X** _ Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |

**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 | | | |
| **Common Stock** | **1/3/2011** | | **A** | | **11816.199** | **A** | **$ 0** | **40188.565** | **D** | |
| **Common Stock** | **1/3/2012** | | **F** | | **4435.952** | **D** | **$54.83** | **35752.613** (1) | **D** | |
| **Common Stock** | | | | | | | | **1830.873** | **I** | **401(k) savings plan 01/04/2012** |

**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) |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

**Explanation of Responses:**

**( 1)** The end of period holdings reported on March 15, 2011 were overstated by 4,924.666 due to the number of shares withheld to pay taxes being added instead of subtracted. This total corrects that overstatement.

**Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| **HOUSEHOLDER JOSEPH A**<br>**101 ASH STREET**<br>**SAN DIEGO, CA 92101** | | | **Executive VP and CFO** | |

**Signatures**

**JOSEPH A. HOUSEHOLDER BY: M. Javade Chaudhri, Executive VP of Sempra Energy and Attorney-In-Fact** **1/5/2012**

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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