#### SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO

Form 4

January 24, 2007

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KELLEHER HERBERT D			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO [LUV]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)  C/O SOUTH CO, P O BOX		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2007	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
DALLAS, T	(Street) X 75235		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/24/2007		S	20,000	D	\$ 15.26	3,821,818	D	
Common Stock	01/24/2007		S	6,300	D	\$ 15.27	3,815,518	D	
Common Stock	01/24/2007		S	10,000	D	\$ 15.28	3,805,518	D	
Common Stock	01/24/2007		S	10,000	D	\$ 15.29	3,795,518	D	
Common Stock	01/24/2007		S	3,700	D	\$ 15.3	3,791,818	D	

Common Stock 304,380  $\underline{^{(1)}}$  I By Family LLC

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>.</b>	ate	7. Title Amount Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	t of ring es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Number		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KELLEHER HERBERT D C/O SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO P O BOX 36611 DALLAS, TX 75235

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# **Signatures**

On behalf of and attorney-in-fact for Herbert D. Kelleher /s/ Deborah Ackerman

01/24/2007

\*\*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).
- Reporting person holds these shares for the benefit of other individuals. The reporting person's spouse is a principal. The reporting person (1) disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, and the filing of this report is not an admission that reporting person is a beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

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