

COMSTOCK RESOURCES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 MARTIN CECIL E JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 COMSTOCK RESOURCES INC [CRK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 5300 TOWN AND COUNTRY BLVD., SUITE 500  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/19/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

FRISCO, TX 75034-

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 (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	08/19/2005		M	V 10,000 A	\$ 11.12 21,399	D	
Common Stock	08/19/2005		M	V 10,000 D	\$ 26.205 11,399	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction 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 (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Directors Stock Options - 1997	\$ 9.625					12/01/1997	12/01/2002	Common Stock	10,000
Directors Stock Options - 2001	\$ 11.12	08/19/2005		M	V 10,000	05/14/2001	06/01/2006	Common Stock	10,000
Directors Stock Options - 2002	\$ 8.7					05/13/2002	06/01/2007	Common Stock	10,000
Directors Stock Options - 2003	\$ 12.15					05/19/2003	06/01/2008	Common Stock	10,000
Directors Stock Options - 2004	\$ 18.17					05/10/2004	06/01/2009	Common Stock	10,000
Directors Stock Options - 2005	\$ 20.92					05/16/2006	05/16/2010	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARTIN CECIL E JR 5300 TOWN AND COUNTRY BLVD. SUITE 500 FRISCO, TX 75034-	X			

## Signatures

Roland O. Burns(per 1/20/95  
P.O.A)

08/20/2005

\_\_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).

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