

CHENIERE ENERGY INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
Teague R Keith

(Last) (First) (Middle)

700 MILAM, SUITE 800

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CHENIERE ENERGY INC [LNG]

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

10/29/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr. VP Asset Group

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ 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. 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or (D)	Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
			Code	V	(A)	(D)			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.6	10/29/2008	D <sup>(1)</sup>		28,334		02/09/2009	Common Stock	28,334
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.6	10/29/2008	A <sup>(1)</sup>		28,334		02/09/2014	Common Stock	28,334
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.6	10/29/2008	D <sup>(2)</sup>		1,666		02/09/2009	Common Stock	1,666
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.6	10/29/2008	A <sup>(2)</sup>		1,666		02/09/2014	Common Stock	1,666

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Teague R Keith 700 MILAM SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77002			Sr. VP Asset Group	

## Signatures

R. keith Teague                      10/31/2008

\_\_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).
- (1) The two reported transactions involved an amendment to an outstanding option granted under the Cheniere Energy, Inc. Amended and Restated 2003 Stock Incentive Plan, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the original option and a grant of a replacement option. The

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option was originally granted on February 9, 2004 and provided for vesting in 3 equal installments on February 9, 2005, 2006 and 2007.

- The two reported transactions involved an amendment to an outstanding option granted under the Cheniere Energy, Inc. Amended and Restated 1997 Stock Option Plan, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the original option and the grant of a replacement option. The option was originally granted on February 9, 2004 and provided for vesting in 3 equal installments on February 9, 2005, 2006 and 2007.

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