FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BURTON DONALD W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CAPITAL SOUTHWEST CORP [CSWC]									elationshi ck all app Direc	,	ng Per	son(s) to Is	
	(Fir	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2011 Officer (give below)									er (give title w)		Other below)	(specify	
(Street) DALLAS (City)	S TX		75230 Zip)		4. If	Ame	ndment	, Date o	of Origina	al Filed	d (Month/Da	ay/Year)	1	6. Inc Line)	Forn	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or I	3ene	ficially	y Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common	ommon Stock 12/19/20			/2011)11		A		130	A	\$	76.35	35,432			T I	See footnote ⁽¹⁾		
Common	Common Stock 12/19/20				/2011	011		A		390	A	\$	76.35	105,241			1 1	See footnote ⁽²⁾	
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					saction of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		r. 3	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y C F D O (I	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share	oer					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Held by The Burton Partnership LP of which Mr. Burton is the general partner (includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment plan).
- 2. Held by The Burton Partnership QP Limited Partnership of which Mr. Burton is the general partner (includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment plan).

/s/ Donald W. Burton

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** 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).

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