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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								ON	OMB Numbe	MB APPROVAL		37	
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(Print or Type I	Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Jordan Robert E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO [LUV]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO., 2702 LOVE FIELD DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2013					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) below) EVP, Chief Commercial Officer					
	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							
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities A	cquired, Dispose	d of,	or Benef	ïcially	Owned	
(Instr. 3) any		Execution any	Date, if	Code	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	SecuritiesCBeneficiallyFOwnedDFollowingo	For Dire or I	wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect	Indire Bene Owne	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
G				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Ins	tr. 4)			
Common Stock	05/15/2013			А	83,473 (1)	А	\$0	362,168	D				
Common Stock								8,832 <u>(2)</u>	Ι		By Prof Plan	itSharing	;

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. 6. Date Exercisable and onNumber Expiration Date of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date	Amou Under Secur	le and unt of rlying rities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
Repo	rting C	owners		Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owner Name / Address	ress Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Jordan Robert E SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO. 2702 LOVE FIELD DRIVE DALLAS, TX 75235-1908			EVP, Chief Commercial	Officer				
Signatures								
/s/ Marilyn R. Post, on behalf of a	and as att	orney-in-fac	t for Robert E.					
Jordan				05/17/2013				
<u>**</u> Signature		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).
- Reflects the exempt acquisition of restricted stock units pursuant to the Southwest Airlines Co. Amended and Restated 2007 Equity
 (1) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units will vest with respect to one-third of the shares covered thereby annually, beginning on May 15, 2014, and will entitle the reporting person to one share of common stock for each restricted stock unit that vests.
- (2) Holdings reflect exempt transactions under the Issuer's ProfitSharing Plan.

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