FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FERRON MARTIN R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS GROUP INC [ HLX ]								S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 95 TRINITY OAKS CIRCLE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/24/2008								X	Officer (give title below)		Other below) ident & CEO	(specify
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(Street) THE WOODLANDS TX 77381		. If An	If Amendment, Date of 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				on	
(City) (State) (Zip)												Pers	on		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Se Be Ow		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Report Transa (Instr. :	ea ction(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
common stock 04/04/200		008		S		5,000		D	\$33.7		249,164		D		
common stock 04/04/2008		80			S		5,000		D	\$33.3		244,164		D	
common stock 04/04/2008		80			S	s 5,000 D		D	\$33	3.1	239,164		D		
common stock 04/04/200		008			S		6,476		D	\$33.1		232,688		D	
common stock 04/07/20		2008			S		5,000		D	\$34.95		227,688		D	
common stock 04/07/20		2008			S		5,000		D	\$34.7		222,688		D	
common stock 04/07/2008		008		S		5,000		D	\$34.4		217,688		D		
nmon stock 04/16/2008		80			S		5,000		D	\$34.5		212,688		D	
common stock	04/16/2008				S		5,000 D		\$3	4	207,688		D		
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  (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)	Date, Transaction Code (Inst		on of E		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/I	n Date		Am Sec Und Der Sec	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Code		(A	) (D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Titl	or Nun of	nber					

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ A. Wade Pursell, by power

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of attorney \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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