#### SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO

Form 4

February 23, 2017

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KELLY GARY C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO [LUV]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last) SOUTHWEST CO., 2702 LO			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2017	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board & CEO
	(Street)		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
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#### DALLAS, TX /5235-1908

(State)

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(City)

Stock

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/22/2017		S	2,629	D	\$ 57.3	683,919	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2017		S	100	D	\$ 57.301	683,819	D	
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

\$ 57.31 680,133

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Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	100	D	\$ 57.321	677,048	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	3,665	D	\$ 57.33	673,383	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	300	D	\$ 57.331	673,083	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	300	D	\$ 57.335	672,783	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	4,283	D	\$ 57.34	668,500	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	200	D	\$ 57.345	668,300	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	3,060	D	\$ 57.35	665,240	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	200	D	\$ 57.351	665,040	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	3,061	D	\$ 57.36	661,979	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	400	D	\$ 57.361	661,579	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	3,439	D	\$ 57.37	658,140	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	300	D	\$ 57.371	657,840	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	100	D	\$ 57.375	657,740	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	5,264	D	\$ 57.38	652,476	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	500	D	\$ 57.381	651,976	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	2,636	D	\$ 57.39	649,340	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	500	D	\$ 57.391	648,840	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	300	D	\$ 57.395	648,540	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	3,000	D	\$ 57.4	645,540	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	100	D	\$ 57.401	645,440	D
	02/22/2017	S	200	D		645,240	D

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Common Stock					\$ 57.405	
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	1,696	D	\$ 57.41 643,544	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	400	D	\$ 57.411 643,144	D
Common Stock	02/22/2017	S	904	D	\$ 57.42 642,240	D

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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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KELLY GARY C SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO. 2702 LOVE FIELD DRIVE DALLAS, TX 75235-1908	X		Chairman of the Board & CEO				

## **Signatures**

/s/ Tim Whisler, on behalf of and as attorney-in-fact for Gary C. 02/23/2017 Kelly

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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#### **Remarks:**

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