GAIN Capital Holdings, Inc.

Form 3

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**SECURITIES** 

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

 **SCHENK JOSEPH A** 

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/14/2010

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GAIN Capital Holdings, Inc. [GCAP]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O GAIN CAPITAL HOLDINGS,

INC.. BEDMINSTER ONE135

ROUTE 202/206

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

**BEDMINSTER NEW** JERSEY. NJÂ 07921

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of Price of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Derivative Derivative Security:

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** 

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	$\hat{A} = \frac{(1)(2)}{2}$	07/28/2020	Common Stock	23,006	\$ 8.67	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	$\hat{A} = \frac{(1)(3)}{2}$	$\hat{A} = \frac{(1)(3)}{2}$	Common Stock	1,624	\$ 0	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)(4)	(1)(4)	Common Stock	3,201	\$ 0	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships		
<b>F-</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHENK JOSEPH A				
C/O GAIN CAPITAL HOLDINGS, INC.	λv	Â	â	â
BEDMINSTER ONE135 ROUTE 202/206	АЛ	A	A	A
BEDMINSTER NEW JERSEY. NJ 07921				

### **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph
Schenk

12/14/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Each share of common stock underlying these options and restricted stock units will be adjusted to reflect a 2.29-for-1 stock split of the Issuer's common stock immediately prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, subject to certain conditions.
- (2) Such stock options were granted on July 28, 2010 and vest 1/12 per month until such stock options are fully vested on the 1 year anniversary of the date of grant.
- (3) Such restricted stock units were granted on December 11, 2008 and were fully vested on the date of grant. There is no expiration date for restricted stock units and vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person in 2014, subject to certain conditions.
- (4) Such restricted stock units were granted on December 15, 2009 and were fully vested on the date of grant. There is no expiration date for restricted stock units and vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person in 2014, subject to certain conditions.

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