GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Whited Gary L

GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP

(Check all applicable)

Vice President

[GD]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

03/02/2016

Director X_ Officer (give title

below)

Other (specify

10% Owner

C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION, 2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DR.

(Street)

(First)

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(State)

(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount

Common Stock,

\$1.00 par

1,960 03/02/2016 \$0 27,669.518 A D

value Common

401(k) Stock. 570.357 (2) I \$1.00 par Plan

value

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Lunderlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 135.85	03/02/2016		A	24,090	(3)	03/01/2026	Common Stock	24,090

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Whited Gary L C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION 2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DR. FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042

Vice President

Signatures

L. Neal Wheeler, by Power of Attorney 03/04/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- (1) Represents shares of restricted stock subject to service-based vesting that will be released approximately four years after the grant date.
- (2) Includes share activity under General Dynamics 401(k) plan since date of reporting person's last ownership report.
- (3) Fifty percent become exercisable on 03/02/2018 and the remaining fifty percent become exercisable on 03/02/2019.

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