

GENTEX CORP
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Downing Steven R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

14814 CREEK EDGE DRIVE

(Street)

HOLLAND, MI 49424

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
GENTEX CORP [GNTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		5,000	A	\$ 8.635	46,125	D
Common Stock	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		1,800	A	\$ 12.795	47,925	D
Common Stock	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		3,376	A	\$ 15.5	51,301	D
Common Stock	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	S		5,000	D	\$ 20.746	46,301	D
Common Stock	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	S		1,800	D	\$ 20.746	44,501	D

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Common Stock 01/31/2017 01/31/2017 S 3,376 D \$ 20.746 41,125 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8.635	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		5,000		09/27/2015	09/27/2019	Common Stock	5,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 12.795	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		1,800		09/30/2014	09/30/2020	Common Stock	1,800
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 15.5	01/31/2017	01/31/2017	M		3,376		09/30/2016	09/30/2022	Common Stock	3,376

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Downing Steven R 14814 CREEK EDGE DRIVE HOLLAND, MI 49424	Director 10% Owner Officer Other Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Steven R.
Downing

02/01/2017

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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