

Leight Nathan
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Leight Nathan

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Great Lakes Dredge & Dock CORP [GLDD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 GREAT LAKES DREDGE &
 DOCK CORPORATION, 2122
 YORK ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2008

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

(Street)
 OAK BROOK, IL 60523

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

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/31/2008		A	1,807 A	\$ 0 1,368,358	D	
Common Stock					40,000	I	Common Stock Held by the wife of Mr. Leight
Common Stock					367,250	I	Common Stock Held by the Leight

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) 1000 shares of common stock are owned by Bruce Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's son is the beneficiary), 1000 shares are owned by Jennifer Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's daughter is the beneficiary), 1000 shares are owned by Keith Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's son is the beneficiary), and 1000 shares are owned by Lillianne Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's daughter is the beneficiary). Mr. Leight serves as a trustee or co-trustee of those trusts.

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