

BULFIN JOHN J
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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 *
BULFIN JOHN J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE
700, 621 NW 53RD STREET
(Street)

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GEO GROUP INC [GEO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2012

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)
SVP & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2012		M		25,527	A	\$ 3.17
Common Stock	03/01/2012		S		20,527 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 18.02
Restricted Stock							43,828

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. 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
Stock Option	\$ 3.17	03/12/2012		M	25,527	02/12/2003	02/12/2013	Common Stock	25,527
Stock Option	\$ 4.6667					05/01/2003	05/01/2013	Common Stock	65,454
Stock Option	\$ 6.0834					08/05/2004	08/05/2014	Common Stock	14,490
Stock Option	\$ 16.69					10/30/2008	10/30/2018	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 21.07					10/28/2009	10/28/2019	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Option	\$ 24.61					03/01/2011	03/01/2021	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BULFIN JOHN J ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700 621 NW 53RD STREET BOCA RATON, FL 33487			SVP & General Counsel	

Signatures

John J. Bulfin 03/02/2012
 __Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) The GEO Group, Inc. ("GEO") purchased these shares of common stock from Mr. Bulfin on March 1, 2012 at a price per share of \$18.02, which was the closing trading price of GEO common stock on that date.

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