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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BULFIN JOHN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GEO GROUP INC [GEO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700, 621 NW 53RD STREET (Street)			03/01/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specification) below)			
				SVP & General Counsel 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BOCA RATON, FL 33487				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) corr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Restricted Stock							24,768 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2013		M	4,000	A	\$ 5.26	96,263 (2)	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2013		S	4,000 (3)	D	\$ 34.2716	92,263 (2)	D	

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 on 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	\$ 5.26 (4)	03/01/2013		M		4,000	08/05/2004	08/05/2014	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Option	\$ 14.44 (4)						10/30/2008	10/30/2018	Common Stock	5,780
Stock Option	\$ 18.23 (4)						10/28/2009	10/28/2019	Common Stock	8,670
Stock Option	\$ 21.29 (4)						03/01/2011	03/01/2021	Common Stock	8,670

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 03/05/2013

**Signature of 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).

The amount of shares reflects the prior vesting of 37,692 shares of restricted stock. Additionally, the reporting person received 4,028 (1) shares of GEO restricted stock pursuant to the special dividend paid on December 31, 2012 to shareholders of record as of December 12, 2012.

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The amount of shares reflects the prior vesting of 37,692 shares of restricted stock. Additionally, the reporting person received 18,071 shares of GEO common stock pursuant to the special dividend paid on December 31, 2012 to shareholders of record as of December 12, 2012.

- The proceeds from this sale were used by Mr. Bulfin solely to pay the taxes associated with the March 1, 2013 vesting of 5,760 shares of restricted stock.
- The exercise prices and the amount of shares covered by these stock option grants were adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilutive provisions of GEO's equtiy incentive plans as a result of the stock portion of the special dividend paid by GEO on December 31,2012.

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