GULFPORT ENERGY CORP

Form 4

February 26, 2015

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Gaydosik Aaron

(Middle)

(Zip)

14313 NORTH MAY

AVENUE, SUITE 100

(Street)

(State)

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GULFPORT ENERGY CORP [GPOR]

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

02/24/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

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

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

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/24/2015		A	21,049 (1)	A	\$0	21,049	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2015		A	3,927 (2)	A	\$0	24,976	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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
									A		
									Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Number			
				C-1- V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Gaydosik Aaron 14313 NORTH MAY AVENUE SUITE 100 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Michael G. Moore as attorney-in-fact for Aaron Gaydosik

02/26/2015

**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).
- Amount represents 21,049 shares of restricted stock granted to Mr. Gaydosik on February 24, 2015 under the issuer's equity incentive **(1)** plan. These shares of restricted stock will vest in three approximately equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2016.
- Amount represents 3,927 shares of restricted stock to which Mr. Gaydosik was entitled upon commencement of his employment with the issuer on August 11, 2014, but which were not granted until February 24, 2015. Of these shares of restricted stock, 1,964 shares will vest on August 1, 2015 and the remaining 1,963 shares will vest on August 1, 2016.

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