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FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF**

SECURITIES

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(Print or Type Responses)

GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP

Form 3

January 06, 2014

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Aiken Jason W			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP [GD]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/01/2014	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O GENEF DYNAMIC: FAIRVIEW	S, 2941	RIVE		(Check	all applicable)			
	(Street)			Director 10% (X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Senior Vice President and			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting	
FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042							Person — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	lon-Derivat	tive Securiti	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount or Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*	
Common Sto	ock, \$1.00	par value	8,484		D	Â		
Common Ste	ock, \$1.00	par value	8,200 <u>(1)</u>	8,200 <u>(1)</u>		Â		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			1,880 (2)	1,880 <u>(2)</u>		Â		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value			10.521		Ι	401(k) Plan	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options	(3)	03/01/2018	Common Stock	23,890	\$ 74.81	D	Â
Stock Options	(4)	03/06/2019	Common Stock	21,500	\$ 71.01	D	Â
Stock Options	(5)	03/05/2020	Common Stock	28,890	\$ 67.7	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Aiken Jason W C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS 2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042	Â	Â	Senior Vice President and CFO	Â		
Signatures						

Neal Wheeler, by Power of	01/06/2014		
Attorney	01/00/2014		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Represents shares of restricted stock subject to service-based vesting that will be released approximately four years after the grant date.

Represents a target number of restricted stock units ("RSUs"), each of which entitles the Reporting Person to receive one share of General Dynamics common stock. The number of RSUs ultimately earned by the Reporting Person will be determined based on a performance metric tied to return on invested capital during the year of grant and may range from 0% to 200% of the target amount. Following the performance period, the earned RSUs are subject to an additional three year time-vesting period.

- (3) Fifty percent became exercisable on 03/02/2012 and the remaining fifty percent became exercisable on 03/02/2013.
- (4) Fifty percent became exercisable on 03/07/2013 and the remaining fifty percent will become exercisable on 03/07/2014.
- (5) Fifty percent will become exercisable on 03/06/2014 and the remaining fifty percent will become exercisable on 03/06/2015.

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