**GEO GROUP INC** Form 4 March 14, 2016

### FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZOLEY GEORGE C	Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	GEO GROUP INC [GEO]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700, 621 NW 53RD STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2016	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below)  Chairman & CEO		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
BOCA RATON, FL 33487		Form filed by More than One Reporting		

(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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)	n(A) or Disposed of Section (D) Ben (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Own		` '	Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Restricted Stock	03/10/2016		A	50,000 (1)	A	\$0	205,311	D	
Common Stock							972,291	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivati Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Y ve es d	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pri Deriv Secui (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 21.29					03/01/2015	03/01/2021	Common Stock	11,560	

## **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ZOLEY GEORGE C ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700 621 NW 53RD STREET BOCA RATON, FL 33487	X		Chairman & CEO					
Signatures								

03/14/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

/s/John J. Bulfin, as Attorney-in-Fact for George C.

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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Vesting of this grant of restricted stock of GEO is contingent upon the achievement by GEO of certain performance-based metrics during the period from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2018 as certified by the compensation committee. Under the terms of the restricted

(1) stock grant, these shares will vest on March 10, 2019 to the extent the performance goals are achieved. Of the grant of restricted stock, 50% is subject to vesting based on GEO's total shareholder return over a three-year period and 50% is subject to vesting based on certain return on capital employed performance goals being met.

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