#### **GRANITE CONSTRUCTION INC**

Form 4 March 07, 2006

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Donnino Michael Francis			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRANITE CONSTRUCTION INC [GVA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 585 W. BEAC	(Last) (First) (Middle) 585 W. BEACH ST.		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2006	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President			
	(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			
WATSONVILLE, CA 95076				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

#### (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S	1,800	D	\$ 46.84	30,140 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S	100	D	\$ 46.86	30,040	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S	100	D	\$ 46.87	29,940	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S	1,200	D	\$ 46.9	28,740	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S	300	D	\$ 46.91	28,440	D	

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Common Stock	03/06/2006	S	500	D	\$ 46.92	27,940	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006	S	1,700	D	\$ 46.97	26,240	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006	S	100	D	\$ 46.98	26,140	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006	S	200	D	\$ 46.99	25,940	D	
Common Stock						65,200 (2)	I	by ESOP

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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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>:</b>	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Donnino Michael Francis 585 W. BEACH ST.

Senior Vice President

WATSONVILLE, CA 95076

**Signatures** 

Michael Futch, Secretary, for Michael Francis Donnino

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\*\*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).
- (1) Shares granted pursuant to the Granite Construction Incorporated Amended and Restated 1999 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Represents approximate shares as of December 31, 2005.

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