#### **GP STRATEGIES CORP**

Form 4

September 22, 2016

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* ROBINSON SAMUEL D.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GP STRATEGIES CORP [GPX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

1 Title of

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/20/2016

(Check all applicable)

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

SAGARD CAPITAL PARTNERS MANAGEMENT CORP., 280 PARK AVENUE, 3RD FLOOR WEST

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1 Committee Assumed

1. Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3. 4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	(D) or	Ownership	
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
				(A)			Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/20/2016		P	4,494 (1)	A	\$ 25	3,555,397	I	See footnote (2)
Common Stock	09/21/2016		P	4,494 (1)	A	\$ 24.978 (3)	3,559,891	I	See footnote (2)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
				G 1 17	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROBINSON SAMUEL D. SAGARD CAPITAL PARTNERS MANAGEMENT CORP. 280 PARK AVENUE, 3RD FLOOR WEST NEW YORK, NY 10017



# **Signatures**

Kenneth L. Crawford for Samuel D. Robinson

09/22/2016

\*\*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) Consists of shares of common stock, par value, \$0.01 per share, of GPX ("Shares") acquired pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 purchase plan entered into by Sagard Capital Partners, L.P. ("Sagard") on August 8, 2016.

Sagard is the direct beneficial owner of the Shares. The amount shown represents transactions in, and beneficial ownership of, the Issuer's securities by Sagard. Sagard Capital Partners Management Corporation (Sagard Management) is the investment manager of Sagard. The

- (2) Reporting Person is the President of Sagard Management and is also the President of Sagard Capital Partners GP, Inc., the general partner of Sagard. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities (except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in such securities), and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- The price represents the weighted average purchase price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices between \$24.84 and (3) \$24.98. Detailed information regarding the number of Shares purchased at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

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