

DOREY WILLIAM GLENWOOD  
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**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DOREY WILLIAM GLENWOOD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GRANITE CONSTRUCTION INC  
[GVA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2009

585 W. BEACH STREET  
(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
(check applicable line)

WATSONVILLE, CA 95076

Form Filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	23,954 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	199,248 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Family Trust
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	80 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	ESOP

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount Number Shares
Common Stock	\$ 0	03/31/2008	Â	A	17,139.13 (2)	Â Â (3) Â (4)	Common Stock 17,139
Common Stock	\$ 0	11/20/2009	Â	A	415,228 (5)	Â Â (3) Â (4)	Common Stock 415,228

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOREY WILLIAM GLENWOOD 585 W. BEACH STREET WATSONVILLE, CA 95076	Â X	Â	Â President & CEO	Â

## Signatures

William G. Dorey 02/11/2010

\*\*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) Previously reported.
- (2) Acquisition of deferred performance-based compensation in stock pursuant to the Granite Construction Incorporated Amended and Restated 1999 Equity Incentive Plan. Shares accrue dividends, payable upon distribution of stock.
- (3) Each performance right represents a right to receive one share of common stock. The performance rights vested upon acquisition; however, because Mr. Dorey chose to defer payment, the stock became payable upon retirement.
- (4) No expiration date.
- (5) Dividends accrued on performance-based compensation stock between March 31, 2008 and December 31, 2009.

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