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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Bjork Claes**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

(Middle)

GRANITE CONSTRUCTION INC

(Check all applicable)

[GVA]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner _ Other (specify

585 W. BEACH STREET

09/12/2011

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

WATSONVILLE, CA 95076

(Street)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, 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)	4. Securities Acquired ior(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	· · ·	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		P	400	A	\$ 18.71	42,322.7278	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		P	400	A	\$ 18.76	42,722.7278	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		P	400	A	\$ 18.85	43,122.7278	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		P	400	A	\$ 18.84	43,522.7278	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		P	344	A	\$ 18.67	43,866.7278	D	

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Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	300	A	\$ 18.83	44,166.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	300	A	\$ 18.87	44,466.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	300	A	\$ 18.7	44,766.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	300	A	\$ 18.64	45,066.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	300	A	\$ 18.68	45,366.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	200	A	\$ 18.74	45,566.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	200	A	\$ 18.79	45,766.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	200	A	\$ 18.69	45,966.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.78	46,066.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.825	46,166.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.835	46,266.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.77	46,366.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.73	46,466.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.72	46,566.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.75	46,666.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	100	A	\$ 18.655	46,766.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	98	A	\$ 18.82	46,864.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	56	A	\$ 18.66	46,920.7278	D
Common Stock	09/12/2011	P	2	A	\$ 18.81	46,922.7278	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title	or Number		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Coue v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Bjork Claes 585 W. BEACH STREET WATSONVILLE, CA 95076	X							

Signatures

Terry K. Eller, Attorney-In-Fact, for Claes G.

Bjork

09/14/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).

Date

Remarks:

This is 1 of 2 forms filed on behalf of Claes G. Bjork by Granite Construction Incorporated (GVA).

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