#### **GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC**

Form 4

October 23, 2014

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

JOHNSON JAMES A /DC/			Symbol GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC [GS]				Iss	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO., 200 WEST STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21-04:00/2014				be	Director Officer (give title low)		Owner (specify	
NEW YOL	(Street) RK, NY 10282			ndment, Da th/Day/Year)	_	l	A <sub>I</sub>	Individual or Joint pplicable Line) _ Form filed by One _ Form filed by More rson	Reporting Pers	son	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of, or	r Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/21-04:00/20	14		M <u>(1)</u>	6,000	A	\$ 131.64	6,000	D		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/21-04:00/20	14		S	6,000	D	\$ 179.8824 (2)	. 0	D		

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

3. Transaction Date

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6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

5. Number

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

3A. Deemed

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	7
Nonqualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 131.64	10/21-04:00/2014		M	6,000	01/02-05:00/2009	11/27-05:00/2015	

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Director Other

JOHNSON JAMES A /DC/ C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282

## **Signatures**

1. Title of

/s/ Beverly L. O'Toole, Attorney-in-fact

10/23-04:00/2014

\*\*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) Reflects the exercise by the Reporting Person of Stock Options granted in December 2005 and scheduled to expire in November 2015.

Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$179.8824 per share, at prices ranging from \$179.77 to \$179.93 per share. The Reporting Person (2) will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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