GEOVIC MINING CORP.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1200 17TH ST., Â STE. 980

A Peryam Alan Wilson

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/01/2008

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GEOVIC MINING CORP. [TSX-GMC]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

Senior VP-General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

DENVER, COÂ 80202

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership

Form: Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 4. 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security: Expiration Security Direct (D) Exercisable Date Amount or or Indirect Title Number of (I) Shares (Instr. 5)

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Options to purchase common stock

10/01/2008 09/30/2018

Common

120,000 \$ (1)

D

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Peryam Alan Wilson

1200 17TH ST. STE. 980

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Senior VP-General Counsel Â

DENVER, COÂ 80202

Signatures

/s/ Alan W.

10/01/2008

Peryam

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 48,000 shares exercisable 10/01/2008; 36,000 shares become exercisable on each of 10/01/2009 and 10/01/2010. Exercise price is Cdn\$0.80.

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