

GULFPORT ENERGY CORP
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 DAVIDSON CHARLES E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GULFPORT ENERGY CORP
 [GPOR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP, 411 WEST PUTNAM AVE.

03/08/2012

(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 Person

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/08/2012		S		329,670	D	\$ 32.5289	6,101,948	I	see footnote (1)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/09/2012		S		370,422	D	\$ 33.1664	5,731,526	I	see footnote (1)
Common Stock, \$.01 par	03/12/2012		S		150,000	D	\$ 32.4284	5,581,526	I	see footnote (1)

value

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)

Table with 10 columns: 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), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5). Sub-columns for 6: Date Exercisable, Expiration Date, Title, Amount or Number of Shares. Sub-columns for 5: Code V (A) (D).

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for DAVIDSON CHARLES E, C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP, 411 WEST PUTNAM AVE., GREENWICH, CT 06830 with 'X' in the 10% Owner relationship column.

Signatures

Charles E. Davidson 03/12/2012

**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) All of the shares disposed of were owned by CD Holding Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, of which the Reporting Person may be deemed to be the beneficial owner by virtue of his position as the sole manager.

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