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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * O'Brien Kenneth William

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

[GCAP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

GAIN Capital Holdings, Inc.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2011

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Sr VP, Strategic Integration

C/O GAIN CAPITAL HOLDINGS. INC.

(State)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BEDMINSTER, NJ 07921

(City)

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		*	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	any	Code	(D)	1		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/19/2011		M	566	A	\$ 1.11	566	D	
Common Stock	01/19/2011		S	566	D	\$ 8.37	0	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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 1.11	01/19/2011		M	566	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	566	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
O'Brien Kenneth William			Sr VP,			
C/O GAIN CAPITAL HOLDINGS, INC.			Strategic			
BEDMINSTER, NJ 07921			Integration			

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth O'Brien	01/21/201		
**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) Such stock options were granted on December 21, 2004 and vest ratably over three years, with one-third of the options vesting on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date. The stock options have a term of ten years.

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