### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Kuryea Kimberly A	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	ing 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP [GD]			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	09/01/2011	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	g 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION, 2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE (Street)		(Check all applicable) <u>Director</u> 10% X Officer Othe	Owner		
(Succi)		(give title below) (specify bel Vice President and Contr	ow) ollerX_ Form filed by One Reporting		
FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042			Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	8,618	D	Â		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	1,000	Ι	Held by husband		
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	735.464	Ι	401(k) Plan		

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)

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1. Title of Derivative2. Date Exercisable andSecurityExpiration Date(Instr. 4)(Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amount or	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Options	03/02/2012 <u>(1)</u>	03/01/2018	Common Stock	11,270	\$ 74.81	D	Â
Stock Options	03/03/2011(2)	03/02/2015	Common Stock	11,100	\$ 73.49	D	Â
Stock Options	03/04/2010(3)	03/03/2014	Common Stock	24,300	\$ 40.09	D	Â
Stock Options	03/05/2009(4)	03/04/2013	Common Stock	14,350	\$ 82.78	D	Â
Stock Options	03/07/2008(5)	03/06/2012	Common Stock	11,000	\$ 76.23	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships					
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Kuryea Kimberly A C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION 2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042	Â	Â	Vice President and Controller	Â		
Signatures						
Julie P. Aslaksen, by power of	)11					

09/02/2011 attorney 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) Fifty percent become exercisable on 3/2/12 and the remaining fifty percent become exercisable on 3/2/13.
- (2) Fifty percent became exercisable on 3/3/11 and the remaining fifty percent become exercisable on 3/3/12.
- (3) Fifty percent became exercisable 3/4/10 and the remaining fifty percent became exercisable 3/4/11.
- (4) Fifty percent became exercisable on 3/5/09 and the remaining fifty percent became exercisable on 3/5/10.
- (5) Fifty percent became exercisable on 3/7/08 and the remaining fifty percent became exercisable on 3/7/09.

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