

Whited Gary L  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Whited Gary L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS  
CORPORATION, 2941 FAIRVIEW  
PARK DR.

(Street)

FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP  
[GD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/06/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/06/2018		M	7,405	A \$ 71.01	34,181	D
Common Stock	03/06/2018		S	5,977	D \$ (1) 224.518	28,204	D
Common Stock	03/06/2018		A	2,901 (2)	A \$ 0	31,105	D
Common Stock	03/07/2018		F	1,265 (3)	D \$ 223.93	29,840	D

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Common Stock	03/07/2018	A	1,405 (4)	A	\$ 0	31,245	D	
Common Stock						834,043 (5)	I	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 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. 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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 71.01	03/06/2018		M		7,405		<u>(6)</u>	03/06/2019	Common Stock	7,405
Stock Options	\$ 223.93	03/07/2018		A		16,800		<u>(7)</u>	03/06/2028	Common Stock	16,800

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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C/O GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION  
2941 FAIRVIEW PARK DR.  
FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042

Vice President

## Signatures

L. Neal Wheeler, by Power of  
Attorney 03/08/2018

\*\*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).

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Sale prices ranged from \$224.473 to \$224.545. Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the Commission staff, General Dynamics, or a General Dynamics shareholder, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate sales price.

- Represents performance restricted stock units (PRSUs) originally granted in 2015. Includes additional units issued upon achievement of
- (2) the performance criteria, as well as accrued dividend equivalents. No further service-based vesting is required. The PRSUs and dividend equivalents are settled in shares of common stock.
  - (3) Withholding of shares of Common Stock under General Dynamics Corporation 2012 Equity Compensation Plan to satisfy tax withholding obligations on release of PRSUs.
  - (4) Represents shares of restricted stock subject to service-based vesting that will be released three years after the grant date.
  - (5) Includes share activity under General Dynamics 401(k) plan since date of reporting person's last ownership report.
  - (6) Fifty percent became exercisable on 03/07/2013 and the remaining fifty percent became exercisable on 03/07/2014.
  - (7) Fifty percent become exercisable on 03/07/2020 and the remaining fifty percent become exercisable on 03/07/2021.

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