## Brennan John Joseph Form 3 July 31, 2012 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB Number:

## **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Brennan John Joseph	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/27/2012	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAL ELECTRIC CO [GE]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) GENERAL ELECTRIC		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
COMPANY, 3135 EASTON TURNPIKE		(Check all applicable)	Dwner			
(Street)		Officer     Other       (give title below)     (specify below)	_X_Form filed by One Reporting			
FAIRFIELD, CT 06828			Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivative Securitie	es Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Beneficially ( (Instr. 4)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock	0 (1)	D	Â			
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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 (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Brennan John Joseph GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY 3135 EASTON TURNPIKE FAIRFIELD, CT 06828	ÂX	Â	Â	Â	
Signatures					
Eliza W. Fraser on behalf of John J. Brennan	07/31/2012				
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date			

## **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) No securities are beneficially owned.

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