GEN PROBE INC Form 4

April 03, 2007

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

obligations may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SOFAER ABRAHAM D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2007

_X__ Director 10% Owner

Officer (give title _ Other (specify

GEN-PROBE

INCORPORATED, 10210 **GENETIC CENTER DRIVE**

> (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

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		(D) Securities (D) Beneficially (D) Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/02/2007		Code V A(1)	Amount 158	(D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 10,364	D	
Common Stock							1,000	I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock							1,000	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock							1,000	I	See Footnote

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Common Stock	1,000	I	See Footnote (5)
Common Stock	1,000	I	See Footnote (6)

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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. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	5. In Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
stoporting of their reduces.	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SOFAER ABRAHAM D GEN-PROBE INCORPORATED 10210 GENETIC CENTER DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X						
Signatures							

Signatures

/s/ R. William Bowen,
Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Quarterly Restricted Stock award granted under the Gen-Probe Incorporated 2003 Incentive Award Plan in connection with Board service.
- (2) 12/17/80 Trust FBO Michael J. Sofaer.
- (3) 6/18/81 Trust FBO Helen R. Sofaer.
- (4) 12/28/84 Trust FBO Joseph S. Sofaer.
- (5) 12/30/86 Trust FBO Aaron R. Sofaer.
- (6) 12/25/90 Trust FBO Raphael J. Sofaer.

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