

GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CROWN JAMES S

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
222 N LASALLE STREET, STE 2000  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/18/2007

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/18/2007		J <sup>(1)</sup>	137 A \$ 90.38	25,491	D	
Common Stock					5,424,092	I	See ftn <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock					2,511,144	I	See ftn. <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock					7,753,112	I	See ftn. <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock					304,800	I	See ftn <sup>(5)</sup>



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(5) Owned by a partnership, Crown Fund II, of which the Reporting Person is a partner.

### **Remarks:**

As previously reported, the Reporting Person holds 25,330 stock options to purchase common stock of Issuer. The Reporting Person

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