

SHERBORNE JOHN ELLIOTT JR
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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 *
 SHERBORNE JOHN ELLIOTT JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GEOVIC MINING CORP.
 [TSX-GMC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 743 HORIZON COURT, SUITE
 300A

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/11/2010

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

(Street)
 GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81506

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|---|------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option to purchase common stock | (1) | 01/11/2010 | 01/11/2010 | A | 90,000 (3) | 01/11/2010(2) | 01/11/2020 | Common Stock | 90,000 (3) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SHERBORNE JOHN ELLIOTT JR 743 HORIZON COURT, SUITE 300A GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81506 | X | | CEO, President | |

Signatures

/s/ John E. Sherborne 01/13/2010

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).
- (1) Exercise price is Cdn\$0.90.
- (2) 40% of the options are exercisable on date of grant, 30% are exercisable on each of first two anniversaries of date of grant.
- (3) Reporting Person is required under terms of the final order terminating his marriage to immediately transfer 40% of all option awards to his former spouse. The number shown represents the 60% net portion of the option award retained by the Reporting Person.

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