**GEO GROUP INC** 

Form 4

August 19, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *_ Wierdsma Thomas M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GEO GROUP INC [GEO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700, 621 NW 53RD STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2014	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title below)  SVP - Project Development			
(Street) BOCA RATON, FL 33487	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 Person			

(City)	(State) (	Ta Ta	able I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	Transactior(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(I)	
					or		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common			_	1,576		\$	(2)	_	
Stock	08/15/2014		F	(1)	D	37.67	43,350 (2)	D	
Stock				_		27.07			
									By self as
Common							568 (3)	I	custodian
Stock							308 <u>e</u>	1	for B.
									Wierdsma
									By self as
Common									custodian
							568 <u>(3)</u>	I	for Oliver
Stock									Thomas
									Adams

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Common Stock	568 <u>(3)</u>	I	By self as custodian for Lauren Diane Wierdsma
Common Stock	568 <u>(3)</u>	I	By self as custodian for Robert Oliver Wierdsma
Restricted Stock	20,761 (4)	D	

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities		ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne
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				(Instr. 3,						
				4, and 5)						
								Amount		
					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
			Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

Wierdsma Thomas M ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700 621 NW 53RD STREET BOCA RATON, FL 33487

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### **Signatures**

/s/John J. Bulfin, As Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas M. Wierdsma

08/19/2014

\*\*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) These shares were surrendered in order to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting of restricted stock.
- The amount of shares has been adjusted to reflect 2,680 shares held in an IRA account, a gift of 592 shares, the reinvestment of cash dividends into shares of common stock and the August 15, 2014 vesting of 5,760 shares of restricted stock.
- (3) The amount of shares has been adjusted to reflect a gift of 148 shares.
- (4) The amount of shares has been adjusted to reflect the August 15, 2014 vesting of 5,760 shares of restricted stock.

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