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

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(Print of Type Responses)												
1. Name and Address Moore Michael G	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GULFPORT ENERGY CORP [GPOR]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 14313 NORTH MAY AVENUE, SUITE 100			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2009						below) VP, CFO & Secretary			
(Street) OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134			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) (S		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exect any	Deemed ution Date, if hth/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, Amount	l (A) l of (I 4 and (A) or	D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
Common Stock	04/02/2009			F		155 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 2.74	1,682	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 - 4.

	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5.		6. Date Exe	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	n Nu	nber	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	erlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Der	ivative			Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative				Sec	urities			(Inst	r. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				Aco	quired			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
					(A)	or						Reported	or Indirect	
						posed						Transaction(s)	(I)	
					of ((Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					`	str. 3,								
					4, a	nd 5)								
										Amount				
							Date	Expiration		or				
							Exercisable		Title	Number				
							Excicisable	Date		of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Moore Michael G 14313 NORTH MAY AVENUE SUITE 100 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134			VP, CFO & Secretary				

Signatures

/s/ MICHAEL G. MOORE	04/03/2009
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) Shares of common stock sold under the Reporting Person's 10b5-1 plan to satisfy tax withholding obligations incurred in connection with the April 1, 2009 vesting of 417 shares of restricted common stock granted under the Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan.

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