GEO GROUP INC

Form 4

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Wierdsma Thomas M Issuer Symbol GEO GROUP INC [GEO] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 08/12/2015 below) 700, 621 NW 53RD STREET SVP - Project Development (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-E	Perivative	Secur	rities Acqui	ired, 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 Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/12/2015		Code V M	Amount 1,734	(D)	Price \$ 18.23	47,722 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2015		S	1,158	D	\$ 33.893	46,564	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2015		M	8,670	A	\$ 21.39	55,234	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2015		S	900	D	\$ 33.892	54,334	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2015		S	5,441	D	\$ 33.91	48,893	D	

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Common Stock	604 (2)	I	By self as custodian for B. Wierdsma
Common Stock	604 (2)	I	By self as custodian for Oliver Thomas Adams
Common Stock	604 (2)	I	By self as custodian for Lauren Diane Wierdsma
Common Stock	604 (2)	I	By self as custodian for Robert Oliver Wierdsma
Restricted Stock	30,761	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number tiom Derivative Securities (a) Acquired (b) Acquired (c) Or Disposed of (c) (d) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 18.23	08/12/2015		M	1,73	34	10/28/2009	10/28/2019	Common Stock	1,734
Stock Options	\$ 21.29	08/12/2015		M	8,67	70	03/01/2015	03/01/2021	Common Stock	8,670

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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

SVP - Project Development

Signatures

John J. Bulfin, as Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas M. Wierdsma

08/14/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
 - Includes an aggregate of 2,638 shares acquired in connection with the reporting person reinvesting dividends on August 30, 2013, September 4, 2013, November 27, 2013, December 3, 2013, March 4, 2014, March 17, 2014, May 28, 2014, June 3, 2014, August 29,
- (1) September 2, 2013, November 27, 2013, December 3, 2013, March 4, 2014, March 17, 2014, May 20, 2014, July 2014, September 2, 2014, September 3, 2014, October 3, 2014, November 26, 2014, November 28, 2014, December 2, 2014, February 27, 2015, March 21, 2015, May 21, 2015 and May 22, 2015.
- Includes an aggregate of 36 shares acquired in connection with the reporting person reinvesting dividends on August 30, 2013, November 27, 2013, March 17, 2014, May 28, 2014, August 29, 2014, September 2, 2014, November 26, 2014, November 28, 2014, February 27, 2015, March 2, 2015, May 21, 2015 and May 22, 2015.

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