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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 * Donahue Paul D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

GENUINE PARTS CO [GPC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

2999 WILDWOOD PKWY

(Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2018

Other (specify

President and CEO

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

ATLANTA, GA 30339

(Instr. 3)

(City) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. 1 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** De Securities Security or Exercise Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Sec any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of					(I
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	05/01/2018		A		13,600		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	13,600	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	05/01/2018		A		6,700		<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	6,700	

Reporting Owners

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

Donahue Paul D 2999 WILDWOOD PKWY ATLANTA, GA 30339

President and CEO

Signatures

Jennifer Ellis Attorney in Fact

05/02/2018

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of GPC common stock at a future date.
- The restricted stock units will be earned on December 31, 2018 provided certain pre-tax profit targets are achieved by GPC for fiscal year (2) 2018. If earned, the units will vest and convert to shares of common stock on May 1, 2021 provided the reporting person is still employed on that date, subject to earlier vesting in certain events.
- (3) The restricted stock units will vest and convert to shares of common stock on May 1, 2021 provided the reporting person is still employed on that date, subject to earlier vesting in certain events.

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