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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 \*  
**Baer Karl**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**GP STRATEGIES CORPORATION, 11 MAIN ST.**

(Street)

**MYSTIC, CT 06355**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**GP STRATEGIES CORP [GPX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**06/28/2012**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Executive Vice President**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 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)
			Code	V Amount or (D) Price			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	06/28/2012		M	27,000 A \$ 11.08	30,466	D	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	06/28/2012		F	20,024 D \$ 17.78	10,442	D	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	06/28/2012		M	10,000 A \$ 7.27	20,442	D	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	06/28/2012		F	5,947 D \$ 17.78	14,495	D	
Common Stock					9,205	I	GP 401(k) Plan <sup>(2)</sup>

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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 Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Appreciation Right <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 7.27	06/28/2012		A	10,000	06/28/2012	06/28/2012			Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 7.27	06/28/2012		M	10,000	06/28/2012	06/28/2012			Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 11.08	06/28/2012		A	27,000	06/28/2012	06/28/2012			Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 11.08	06/28/2012		M	27,000	06/28/2012	06/28/2012			Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Baer Karl GP STRATEGIES CORPORATION 11 MAIN ST. MYSTIC, CT 06355			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

Karl Baer 07/02/2012  
 \*\*Signature of Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) Reflects exercise for stock of stock appreciation right granted on 6/28/2012 with respect to previously reported stock options.

(2) Shares held in GP 401(k) Retirement Savings Plan based on plan statement as of March 31, 2012.

(3) The stock appreciation right is granted with respect to previously reported stock options and may be exercised for stock. The exercise of the stock appreciation right results in the expiration of the related stock options.

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