## Edgar Filing: NEEDHAM WENDY B - Form 4

| NEEDHAM  | WENDY B                                 |  |   |  |  |          |                      |  |  |          |  |
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| (Print or Type F   | Responses)                              |  |   |  |  |          |                      |  |  |          |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u><br>NEEDHAM WENDY B  |   |  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>GENUINE PARTS CO [GPC] |  |  |          |                      | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer  |  |          |  |
|  |   |  |   | Earliest Transaction                   |  |          |                      | (Check all applicable)   |  |          |  |
| (Mo  |   |  | (Month/D<br>04/01/20  | ay/Year)                               |  |          |                      | X_ Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below)                   |  |          |  |
|  | (Street)                                |  |   | ndment, Da<br>th/Day/Year)             | -                                      | l        |                      | <ul><li>6. Individual or Jo</li><li>Applicable Line)</li><li>_X_ Form filed by C</li></ul>     | -  | -        |  |
| ATLANTA,   | GA 30339                                |  |   |  |  |          |                      | Form filed by M<br>Person  | Iore than One Re   | porting  |  |
| (City)   | (State)                                 | (Zip)  | Table   | e I - Non-D                            | erivative                              | Secur    | ities Acq            | uired, Disposed of   | , or Beneficial  | ly Owned |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)   | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deem<br>Execution<br>any<br>(Month/Da  | Date, if  | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi<br>on(A) or Di<br>(Instr. 3, | spose    | d of (D)             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4)       |          |  |
| Common<br>Stock  | 04/01/2013                              |  |   | Code V<br>M                            | Amount 1,800                           | (D)<br>A | Price<br>\$<br>77.12 | (Instr. 3 and 4)<br>8,703 (1)  | D  |          |  |
| Common<br>Stock  | 04/01/2013                              |  |   | F                                      | 541                                    | D        | \$<br>77.12          | 8,162 <u>(1)</u>   | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>onof Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | Derivative Expiration Date<br>courities (Month/Day/Year)<br>cquired<br>asposed of<br>b)<br>nstr. 3, 4, |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Pr<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>(Inst |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                                 |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (2)   | 04/01/2013                              |   | А                                     | 2,000   | (3)  | (3)                | Common<br>Stock   | 2,000                                  | \$                              |

## **Reporting Owners**

| <b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>                       | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |
| NEEDHAM WENDY B<br>2999 CIRCLE 75 PKWY<br>ATLANTA, GA 30339 | Х             |           |         |       |  |  |
| Signatures  |               |           |         |       |  |  |
| Carol B. Yancey Attorney<br>in Fact                         | 04/02/2013    |           |         |       |  |  |
| **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) Includes 363 shares acquired from dividend accrual
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a vested right to receive one share of GPC common stock at a future date.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest immediately and convert to shares of GPC common stock on the earliest of (i) a change in control of GPC, (ii) the grantee's termination as a director of GPC by reason of death, disability or retirement, or (iii) April 1, 2018.

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