

SCHMIDT PAUL W  
Form 4  
December 14, 2004

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SCHMIDT PAUL W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 RENAISSANCE CENTER

(Street)

DETROIT, MI 482653000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

GENERAL MOTORS CORP [GM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

12/13/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

**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)
General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	12/13/2004		M	13,040 A	\$ 33.17 31,373	D	
General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	12/13/2004		F	11,121 D	\$ 38.89 20,252	D	

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General  
Motors  
Common  
Stock,  
\$1-2/3 Par  
Value

12/13/2004

F

466

D

\$  
38.89

19,786

D

General  
Motors  
Common  
Stock,  
\$1-2/3 Par  
Value

2,213

I

Trust <sup>(1)</sup>

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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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right To Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 33.17	12/13/2004		M	13,040	01/09/1996 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/10/2005	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 13,040
GM Phantom Stock Units \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 0					<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 1,387

Com Stock <sup>(3)</sup>						
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 40.07	02/05/1997 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/06/2006	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	13,04	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 44.73	02/03/1998 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/04/2007	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	15,64	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 46.59	01/12/1999 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2008	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	15,62	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 71.53	01/11/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/12/2009	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	18,03	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 75.5	01/10/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/11/2010	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	16,00	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 52.35	01/08/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/09/2011	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3	17,00	

Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>					Par Value	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 50.46		01/07/2003 <u>(2)</u>	01/08/2012	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	17,00
Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>						
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 50.82		02/04/2003 <u>(2)</u>	02/05/2012	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	8,500
Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>						
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 40.05		01/21/2004 <u>(2)</u>	01/22/2013	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	17,00
Option (Right To Buy) <u>(2)</u>						
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value	\$ 53.92		01/23/2005 <u>(2)</u>	01/24/2014	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	13,60
Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>						
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value, Deferred Stock Units <u>(4)</u>	\$ 0		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	13,24

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHMIDT PAUL W 300 RENAISSANCE CENTER DETROIT, MI 482653000			Controller	

## Signatures

By: Martin I. Darvick -  
Attorney-in-Fact for

12/14/2004

\_\_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 held in trust under General Motors Stock Purchase Program as of 12/31/03. State Street Bank & Trust Co., Trustee. Shares owned pursuant to Rule 16b-3 exempt employee savings plan.
- (2) Employee stock option granted pursuant to Rule 16b-3 qualified General Motors Stock Incentive Plan. Stock option is exercisable in three equal annual installments, commencing, respectively, one, two and three years from the date of initial grant.
- (3) The Phantom Stock Units are held under Section 16b-3(c) exempt Rule 16b-3(b)(2) eligible excess benefit plan operated in conjunction with a qualified 401(k) plan. The Units are payable in cash upon separation from General Motors. These Units are being reported even though they are exempt under Rule 16b-3. Units held as of 12/31/03. The price of zero is fictional and only used for purposes of facilitating the electronic filing of this Form.
- (4) The Deferred Stock Units were accrued under the Rule 16b-3 qualified General Motors Deferred Compensation Plan. Dividend equivalents are earned on each Deferred Stock Unit. Units held as of 01/23/04. The Deferred Stock Units convert on a '1 for 1' basis. The price of zero is fictional and only used for purposes of facilitating the electronic filing of this Form.

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