PALM GREGORY K

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Stock, par value

\$0.01 per share

10/26/2007

10/26/2007

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PALM GREGORY K		Sy G	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/ [GS]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I		. Date of Earliest Tr	ansaction		Director _X_ Officer (give		Owner r (specify	
C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO., 85 BROAD STREET			Month/Day/Year) 0/26/2007			below) Executive VP - General Counsel			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
		F1	iled(Month/Day/Year))		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
NEW YOR	.K., NY 10004					Person	iore man One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative Se	curities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Da any (Month/Day/	Date, if Transactio Code	C	osed of (D)	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, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007		S	800 D	\$	862,138	D		
Common									

S

S

200

500

D

D

231.26

861,938

861,438

D

D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 231.36		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	700	D	\$ 231.38	860,738	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	700	D	\$ 231.39	860,038	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	500	D	\$ 231.4	859,538	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 231.41	858,438	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 231.42	857,438	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	500	D	\$ 231.43	856,938	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 231.45	855,838	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,800	D	\$ 231.46	854,038	D
	10/26/2007	S	200	D		853,838	D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 231.48		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	300	D	\$ 231.49	853,538	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	300	D	\$ 231.5	853,238	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	900	D	\$ 231.51	852,338	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	500	D	\$ 231.52	851,838	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,400	D	\$ 231.53	850,438	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	2,200	D	\$ 231.54	848,238	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 231.55	847,238	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,300	D	\$ 231.56	845,938	D
	10/26/2007	S	300	D		845,638	D

,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 231.57		
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	722	D	\$ 231.58	844,916	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,168	D	\$ 231.59	843,748	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	300	D	\$ 231.6	843,448	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	900	D	\$ 231.62	842,548	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	1,300	D	\$ 231.63	841,248	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	800	D	\$ 231.64	840,448	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	400	D	\$ 231.65	840,048	D
,	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/26/2007	S	200	D	\$ 231.66	839,848	D
		10/26/2007	S	100	D		839,748	D

Common 231.67 Stock, par value

\$0.01 per share

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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 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorNumber Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security or Exercise any Code of (Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
Derivative Securities	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Owne
Security Acquired	Ì		Follo
(A) or			Repo
Disposed			Trans
of (D)			(Instr
(Instr. 3,			`
$\stackrel{\checkmark}{4}$, and $\stackrel{\checkmark}{5}$)			
	Amount		
Date Expiration	or		
Exercisable Date	Title Number		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Code V (A) (D)

PALM GREGORY K C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. **85 BROAD STREET** NEW YORK,, NY 10004

Executive VP - General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Roger S. Begelman, 10/30/2007 Attorney-in-fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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