

GEO GROUP INC
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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 *
EVANS BRIAN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE
700, 621 NW 53RD STREET
(Street)

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GEO GROUP INC [GEO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/14/2016

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)
SVP, Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Restricted Stock	03/14/2016		D		3,489 (1) \$ 0	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2016		F		1,782 (3) \$ 30.71	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 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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Options	\$ 18.23					10/28/2013 10/28/2019	Common Stock	2,312
Stock Options	\$ 21.29					03/01/2015 03/01/2021	Common Stock	6,936

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
EVANS BRIAN ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700 621 NW 53RD STREET BOCA RATON, FL 33487			SVP, Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/John J. Bulfin, as Attorney-in-Fact for Brian R. Evans
03/16/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- These shares were forfeited based on the application of a 65.1% combined equity payout of the target restricted stock award at the vesting
- (1) date based on the level of GEO's achievement of the total shareholder return and return on capital employed metrics during the period from January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2015.
 - (2) The amount of shares has been adjusted to reflect the March 14, 2016 vesting of 6,511 shares of restricted stock.
 - (3) These shares were surrendered in order to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting of restricted stock.

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