Freel Steven Leo

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Form 3

FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION						[ON	OMB APPROVAL				
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES							•	Expires:	Janua	ry 31, 2005	
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(Print or Type Respo	onses)										
Person * Statement			(Month/Day/Year)	quiring	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GSE SYSTEMS INC [GVP]						
(Last) (F	irst)	(Middle)	01/01/2013		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
1332 LONDON	TOWN	BLVD							2		
(Street)					(Check all applicable) 6. I		6. Indi	dividual or Joint/Group			
SYKESVILLE, MD 21784					Officer OtherX_1 (give title below) (specify below) Perso Chief Operating Officer F			_X_ Fo Person Fo	g(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting n Yorm filed by More than One rting Person		
(City) (St	tate)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - N	on-Deriva	tive Securit	ies Ben	eficia	ally Owned	ł	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)				ficially (Securities Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Natu Owner (Instr.	ship	indirect Benef	icial	
No securities ow	ned		0			D	Â				
Reminder: Report or owned directly or ind		te line for e	ach class of securities	benefici	ally	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)				
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Table	II - Deri	vative Secu	rities Beneficially Ov	vned (e.	g., puts, calls	s, warrants, op	tions, co	nverti	ble securities	5)	

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities U	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option		10/28/2017			\$ 3.4	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(2)	10/23/2018	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 5.95	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(3)	11/11/2018	Common Stock	100,000	\$ 1.85	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Freel Steven Leo 1332 LONDONTOWN BLVD SYKESVILLE, MD 21784	Â	Â	Chief Operating Officer	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Steven Leo Freel	01/02/2013			
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 2,000 10/28/2011; 1,500 10/28/2012; 1,500 10/28/2013
- (2) 2,857 10/23/2009; 2,857 10/23/2010; 2,857 10/23/2011; 2,857 10/23/2012; 2,857 10/23/2013; 2,857 10/23/2014; 2,858 10/23/2015
- (3) 20,000 11/11/2012; 20,000 11/11/2013; 20,000 11/11/2014; 20,000 11/11/2015; 20,000 11/11/2016

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