THIEFFRY ALAIN Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AcTHIEFFRY	Symbol	Symbol Gaming Partners International CORP			ORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		[GPIC]	•				(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			_X_ Director Officer (giv	e titleOth	6 Owner er (specify	
1700 INDUS		09/12/2008				below)	below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LAS VEGAS					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Tab	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securitie	es Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
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(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	` ′		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
C			Code V	Amount	(D) I	Price			
Common Stock							9,000	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat	Date Exercisable and piration Date onth/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	
Option/Right to Buy (1)	\$ 18.37					03/14/2006	09/12/2015	Common Stock	3,50	
Option/Right to Buy (2)	\$ 21.05					03/14/2007	09/12/2016	Common Stock	3,50	
Option/Right to Buy (3)	\$ 10.1					03/14/2008	09/12/2017	Common Stock	3,50	
Option/Right to Buy (4)	\$ 5.35	09/12/2008		A	3,500	03/14/2009	09/12/2018	Common Stock	3,50	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and the same and the s	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
THIEFFRY ALAIN 1700 INDUSTRIAL ROAD LAS VEGAS, NV 89102	X						

### **Signatures**

/s/ David W. Grimes, by power of attorney

09/15/2008

**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).
- As previously reported, on September 12, 2005, Gaming Partners International Corporation (the "Company") granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of their \$0.01 par value common stock at \$18.37 per share, pursuant to the Company's 1994 Directors' Stock Option Plan, as amended (the "Plan"). The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.
- As previously reported, on September 12, 2006, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 share of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock at \$21.05 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.
- As previously reported, on September 12, 2007, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock at \$10.10 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.

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On September 12, 2008, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock at \$5.35 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option was fully vested upon the date of grant, but is not exercisable until March 14, 2009.

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