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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person * Baltic Tra		eporting	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENCO SHIPPING & TRADING LTD [GSKNF]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/07/201	5	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
299 PARK AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR						(Check all applicable)				
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10731					DirectorX10% Ow Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)		•	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	rity			2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share				0		I	See f	Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4)		
Reminder: Repo	_		ach class of sec	curities benefic	ially S	SEC 1473 (7-02	()			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect
Exercisable Date Number of (I)
Shares (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Baltic Trading Ltd 299 PARK AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR Â Â X Â Â NEW YORK, NYÂ 10731

Signatures

/s/ John C. Wobensmith, President of Baltic Trading Limited

04/17/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- Baltic Trading Limited, a Marshall Islands corporation (the "Reporting Person" or "Baltic Trading"), is filing this Form 3 solely due to entry into a Voting and Support Agreement (the "Voting Agreement"), dated April 7, 2015 by and among Genco Shipping & Trading Limited, a Marshall Islands corporation (the "Issuer" or "Genco"), Baltic Trading and certain shareholders of the Issuer and Baltic Trading (the "Shareholders").
 - The Voting Agreement was entered into in connection with that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"), dated April 7, 2015, by and among the Issuer, Baltic Trading and Poseidon Merger Sub Limited, a Marshall Islands corporation and an indirect
- (2) wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer ("Merger Sub"), pursuant to which, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Merger Agreement, Merger Sub will be merged with and into Baltic Trading (the "Merger"), with Baltic Trading continuing as the surviving corporation. As a result of the Merger, Baltic Trading would become an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer.
- Under the Voting Agreement, each Shareholder has agreed, among other things, to vote all of its shares of the Issuer and Baltic Trading common stock in favor of the Merger and each Shareholder is prohibited from transferring such shares. Each Shareholder also granted an irrevocable proxy to Baltic Trading (and any designee thereof) to vote such shareholder's shares of the Issuer and Baltic Trading common stock in favor of the Merger.
 - By virtue of the Voting Agreement, the Reporting Person may be deemed to have voting power with respect to (and therefore beneficially own with the meaning of Rule 13d-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) an aggregate of 21,195,627 shares of Issuer common stock held by the Shareholders, which represents approximately 34.4% of the outstanding shares of Issuer common stock based
- (4) on 61,541,289 shares issued and outstanding as of April 7, 2015, as represented by the Issuer in the Merger Agreement. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims any pecuniary interest in, and beneficial ownership of, shares of Issuer common stock for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose. The filing of this Form 3 shall not be construed as an admission that Baltic Trading is the beneficial owner of any of the securities reported herein.

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