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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ado Person * Sullivan Jo	dress of Reporting		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLAYMORE/GUGGENHEIM STRATEGIC OPPORTUNITIES FUND [GOF]				
(Last)	(First)		01/28/2011	4. Relationshi Person(s) to I	onship of Reporting s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Origina Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
2455 CORPORATE WEST DRIVE				(Check all applicable)			,	
LISLE, ILÂ	(Street)			· · ·		ow)	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	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
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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)	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	Derivative	Security:	

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Date Expiration Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Sullivan John Louis

2455 CORPORATE WEST DRIVE CFO, Chf Acctng Off & Treas. LISLE, ILÂ 60532

Signatures

/s/ John L. Sullivan, by Kevin M. Robinson Pursuant to a Power of Attorney

01/28/2011

**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).
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