

Sowell William D
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Sowell William D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GREEN DOT CORP [GDOT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 605 E. HUNTINGTON DRIVE,
 SUITE 205
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/08/2011

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___X___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Chief Operating Officer

MONROVIA, CA 91016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Class A Common Stock	03/08/2011		C	14,777	A	\$ 0	14,777	D
Class A Common Stock	03/08/2011		S ⁽¹⁾	14,777	D	\$ 45	0	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy Class B Common Stock) ⁽²⁾	\$ 10.84	03/08/2011		M	2,000	⁽³⁾ 03/19/2019	Class B Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (right to buy Class B Common Stock) ⁽²⁾	\$ 17.19	03/08/2011		M	12,777	⁽⁴⁾ 08/03/2019	Class B Common Stock	12,777
Class B Common Stock ⁽²⁾	\$ 0	03/08/2011		M	14,777	⁽²⁾ ⁽²⁾	Class A Common Stock	14,777
Class B Common Stock ⁽²⁾	\$ 0	03/08/2011		C	14,777	⁽²⁾ ⁽²⁾	Class A Common Stock ⁽⁵⁾	14,777

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sowell William D
605 E. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 205
MONROVIA, CA 91016

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Lina Davidian as attorney-in-fact for William D. Sowell

03/10/2011

⁽²⁾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).
- (1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to s Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 30, 2010.
- (2) The Class B Common Stock is convertible at the holder's option into the issuer's Class A Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis and has no expiration date.
- (3) Options vest as to 1/4 of the shares on March 2, 2010 and then 1/48th monthly thereafter, subject to the reporting person's provision of service to the issuer on each vesting date.
- (4) Options vest as to 1/4 of the shares on July 21, 2010 and then 1/48th monthly thereafter, subject to the reporting person's provision of service to the issuer on each vesting date.
- (5) The holder elected to convert the shares of Class B Common Stock into Class A Common Stock, which Class A Common Stock has no exercisable date or expiration date.

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