

GULFPORT ENERGY CORP

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Zitkus Lester

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

03/07/2017

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GULFPORT ENERGY CORP [GPOR]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

3001 QUAIL SPRINGS PARKWAY

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer ____ Other
 (give title below) (specify below)
 SVP, Land

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Common Stock

49,784 ⁽¹⁾

D

A

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)

Title

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Zitkus Lester 3001 QUAIL SPRINGS PARKWAY OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73134	Â	Â	Â SVP, Land	Â

Signatures

/s/ Michael G. Moore as attorney in fact for Lester Zitkus	03/17/2017
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__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) Amount includes 43,001 unvested restricted stock units granted under the equity incentive plan of Gulfport Energy Corporation (the "Issuer") prior to Mr. Zitkus becoming an executive officer of the Issuer. Of these restricted stock units, 4,000 units will vest on August 15, 2017, 11,666 units will vest on August 27, 2017, 4,001 units will vest on August 15, 2018, 11,667 units will vest on August 27, 2018 and 11,667 units will vest on August 27, 2019.

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