

SZYGENDA RALPH J

Form 4

January 25, 2005

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SZYGENDA RALPH J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 RENAISSANCE CENTER, P.O.  
BOX 300, MAIL CODE:  
482-C38-B71

(Street)

DETROIT, MI 482653000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

GENERAL MOTORS CORP [GM]

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

01/24/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

Group Vice President

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

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value					33,421	D	
General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par					2,171	I	Trust <sup>(1)</sup>

Value

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 36.37	01/24/2005		A		37,600		01/24/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/25/2015	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	37,600
GM Phantom Stock Units \$1-2/3 Par Value Com Stock <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>							<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	3,453
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 40.32							06/28/1997 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/29/2006	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	16,300
GM Stock	\$ 44.73							02/03/1998 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/04/2007	General Motors	20,980

\$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>				Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 46.59	01/12/1999 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/13/2008	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	30,05
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 71.53	01/11/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/12/2009	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	33,65
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 75.5	01/10/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/11/2010	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	38,00
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 52.35	01/08/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/09/2011	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	42,00
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 50.46	01/07/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/08/2012	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value	47,00
GM	\$ 50.82	02/04/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/05/2012	General	23,50

Stock  
\$1-2/3  
Par  
Value  
Option  
(Right to  
Buy) (2)

Motors  
Common  
Stock,  
\$1-2/3  
Par Value

GM  
Stock  
\$1-2/3  
Par  
Value \$ 40.05  
Option  
(Right  
To Buy)  
(2)

01/21/2004(2) 01/22/2013

General  
Motors  
Common  
Stock,  
\$1-2/3  
Par Value 47,00

GM  
Stock  
\$1-2/3  
Par  
Value \$ 53.92  
Option  
(Right to  
Buy) (2)

01/23/2005(2) 01/24/2014

General  
Motors  
Common  
Stock,  
\$1-2/3  
Par Value 37,60

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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DETROIT, MI 482653000

Group Vice President

## Signatures

By: Martin I. Darvick -  
Attorney-in-Fact for

01/25/2005

    \*\*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) Shares held in trust under General Motors Savings Stock Purchase Program as of 12/31/04. State Street Bank & Trust Co., Trustee.  
Shares owned pursuant to Rule 16b-3 exempt employee savings plan.

- Employee stock option granted pursuant to Rule 16b-3 qualified General Motors Stock Incentive Plan. Stock option is exercisable in three  
(2) equal annual installments, commencing, respectively, one, two and three years from the date of initial grant. Date shown is the date the  
first installment is/was exercisable.

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- (3) The Phantom Stock Units are held under Section 16b-3(c) exempt Rule 16b-3(b)(2) eligible excess benefit plan operated in conjunction with a qualified 401(k) plan. The Units are payable in cash upon separation from General Motors. These Units are being reported even though they are exempt under Rule 16b-3. Units held as of 12/31/04. The price of zero is fictional and only used for purposes of facilitating the electronic filing of this Form.

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