FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Wheeler Christopher C.								2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GEO GROUP INC [ GEO ]									all applicable) Director		ng Per	g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
	I NW 53RD STREET							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2014									Office pelov	ficer (give title low)		Other (specify below)	
SUITE 700  (Street) BOCA RATON FL 33487						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)																				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/L							/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secui Benet		cially I Following	Form (D) o	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Pric	_  т	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11150.4)	
Restricted	l Stock			)/2014						2,5000	(1)	Α	\$0.00		11,240			D			
Common	Stock														3,699			D			
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. Conversio or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	on C se (I	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		str. 3	8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5	ivative curity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	F D O (I	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. This grant of restricted stock of The GEO Group, Inc. vests in equal annual increments of 25% on each of the four anniversary dates immediately following the grant date.

/s/ John J. Bulfin, as Attorney-

in-fact for Christopher C.

Wheeler

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

02/24/2014

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

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