BULLOCK MARY BROWN

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	Address of Reporting P	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENUINE PARTS CO [GPC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M	(Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008				_X_ Director Officer (give	titleOth	Owner er (specify		
GENUINE COMPANY PKWY	PARTS 7, 2999 CIRCLE	75				1	below)	below)		
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			(6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	urities	s Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D) 4 and (A) or)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	0	D	Â	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Securities	Deriva Securit
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Instr.
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	4,477	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BULLOCK MARY BROWN GENUINE PARTS COMPANY 2999 CIRCLE 75 PKWY ATLANTA, GA 30339	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			

Signatures

Carol B. Yancey Attorney in Fact 02/09/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person D

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- * 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) Security converts to Common Stock on a one for one basis.
- (2) Exercisable and expiration date is equal to effective retirement date.

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