

GABELLI DIVIDEND & INCOME TRUST

Form 4

October 31, 2008

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GABELLI MARIO J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

GABELLI DIVIDEND & INCOME
TRUST [GDV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

10/29/2008

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

C/O GAMCO INVESTORS,
INC, ONE CORPORATE CENTER

(Street)

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

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

☐ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☒ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

RYE, NY 10580

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares, Par Value \$0.001	10/29/2008		S		25,000	D	\$ 10.6756	2,376,356.55	I	GAMCO Investors, Inc. ⁽¹⁾
Common Shares, Par Value \$0.001	10/30/2008		S		25,000	D	\$ 10.9345	2,351,356.55	I	GAMCO Investors, Inc. ⁽¹⁾
Common Shares, Par Value								7,184	I	Gabelli Funds, LLC ⁽²⁾

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Common
Shares,
Par Value
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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
GABELLI MARIO J C/O GAMCO INVESTORS, INC ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580	X
GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580	Owner of Adviser
GABELLI FUNDS LLC	Adviser
GGCP, INC. 140 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830	Majority shareholder of GAMCO

Signatures

Douglas R. Jamieson as Attorney-in-Fact for Mario J. Gabelli, GGCP, Inc., GAMCO Investors, Inc., and Gabelli Funds, LLC

10/31/2008

____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 shares reported are the total shares owned by GAMCO Investors, Inc. Mr. Gabelli and GGCP, Inc. have less than a 100% interest in this entity and Gabelli Funds, LLC has no interest in this entity.
- (2) The shares reported reflect the total number of shares held by Gabelli Funds, LLC which is greater than the other reporting persons' indirect pecuniary interests.

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