

PARAMOUNT GOLD & SILVER CORP.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Buffone Carlo

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PARAMOUNT GOLD & SILVER CORP. [PZG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3472 SOUTHGATE ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/17/2015

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

OTTAWA, A6 K1V 9P9

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock | 04/17/2015 | | D | 40,000 | \$ 45,884.16 | D | |
| | | | | | 0 | | |

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)

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| 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 |
| Stock Option | \$ 1.14 ⁽²⁾ | 04/17/2015 | | D | 250,000 | 03/18/2014 | 03/17/2018 | Common Stock | 250,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Buffone Carlo 3472 SOUTHGATE ROAD OTTAWA, A6 K1V 9P9 | | | Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Carlo
Buffone 04/17/2015
 **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) Disposed of pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger among Coeur Mining, Inc. ("Coeur"), Paramount Gold and Silver Corp. ("Paramount"), Hollywood Merger Sub, Inc. and Paramount Nevada Gold Corp. ("Merger Agreement") whereby each share of common stock of Paramount was converted into 0.2016 shares of Coeur common stock, resulting in 8,064 shares Coeur common stock. Value reported is based on closing price of Coeur common stock on April 16, 2015.
 - (2) The option exercise price was reduced by \$0.26 as a result of a spin-off of shares of Paramount Gold Nevada Corp. by the issuer.
 - (3) Options disposed of pursuant to Merger Agreement and at Coeur's option is being exchanged for cash or Coeur common stock (using closing price on April 16, 2015).

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