GRAN TIERRA ENERGY INC.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * West Lawrence

C/O GRAN TIERRA ENERGY

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

GRAN TIERRA ENERGY INC.

(Check all applicable)

[GTE]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

05/12/2016

Vice President, Exploration

INC., 200, 150 13 AVENUE SW

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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(City)

		Tunie I Tion Seriative Securities required, Suspected on, or Senerically								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	3.	4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of 6. Ownership		7. Nature of			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dispos	ed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and	d 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
						Reported				
				(A))	Transaction(s)				
			Code V	or Amount (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	05/12/2016		M	6,666 A	<u>(1)</u>	206,696	D			
Common Stock	05/12/2016		D	6,666 D	\$ 2.75	200,030	D			

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number complete 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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/12/2016		M	6,666	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	6,666	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

West Lawrence C/O GRAN TIERRA ENERGY INC. 200, 150 13 AVENUE SW CALGARY, A0 T2R 0V2

Vice President, Exploration

Signatures

/s/ Diane Phillips, Attorney-In Fact 05/16/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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Reflects the receipt of 20,000 restricted stock units that were incorrectly reported on Table I previously. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Gran Tierra Energy Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units shall vest in three equal consecutive annual instalments on May 12, 2016, May 12, 2017 and May 12, 2018 until fully vested. The settlement for the restricted stock units that vested on May 12, 2016 was solely in cash.

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