BERKOWITZ MARTIN A

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

BERKOWITZ MARTIN A

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

Gaming Partners International CORP

[GPIC]

X Director

10% Owner

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

1700 INDUSTRIAL ROAD

(First)

(Street)

08/08/2012

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

LAS VEGAS, NV US 89102

(City) (State)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

Reported

Following Transaction(s)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securitie
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquire (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Option/Right to Buy (1)	\$ 14.85							<u>(1)</u>	08/08/2017	Common	6,00
Option/Right to Buy (2)	\$ 6.8							11/10/2008	05/09/2018	Common	10,00
Option/Right to Buy (3)	\$ 3.49							02/09/2009	08/08/2018	Common	3,00
Option/Right to Buy (4)	\$ 7							02/09/2010	08/08/2019	Common	3,00
Option/Right to Buy (5)	\$ 6.9							02/09/2011	08/08/2020	Common Stock	5,00
Option/Right to Buy (6)	\$ 7.65							02/09/2012	08/08/2021	Common Stock	5,00
Option/Right to Buy (7)	\$ 5.94	08/08/2012	08/10/2012	A		5,000		02/09/2013	08/08/2022	Common Stock	5,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BERKOWITZ MARTIN A 1700 INDUSTRIAL ROAD LAS VEGAS, NV US 89102	X						

Signatures

Gerald W. Koslow, by power of attorney for Martin A. Berkowitz

08/10/2012

**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).

As previously reported, on August 8, 2007, Martin A. Berkowitz was elected as a director of Gaming Partners International Corporation (the "Company"). On the date of his appointment, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 6,000 shares of the

(1) Company's common stock pursuant to the Company's 1994 Directors' Stock Option Plan, as amended, (the "Plan"), at an exercise price of \$14.85 per share. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The options vest in equal installments over a three-year period with the first one-third installment vesting on August 8, 2008. The option is fully vested and exercisable.

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- As previously reported, on May 9, 2008, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz a discretionary bonus to purchase 10,000 shares of the (2) Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$6.80 per share, pursuant to the Plan, as amended. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is fully vested and exercisable.
- As previously reported, on August 8, 2008, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 3,000 shares of the Company's common stock at \$3.49 per share for his service on certain committees of the Company during the prior twelve month period, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is fully vested and exercisable.
- As previously reported, on August 8, 2009, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 3,000 shares of the Company's common stock at \$7.00 per share for his service on certain committees of the Company during the prior twelve month period, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is fully vested and exercisable.
 - On August 8, 2010, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 5,000 shares of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$6.90 per share for his service on certain committees of the Company during the prior twelve month period, pursuant to
- (5) the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and will be exercisable six months and one day after the grant. Of the option to purchase 5,000 shares of the Company's common stock, 2,000 shares were omitted from Mr. Berkowitz's original Form 4 filed on August 9, 2010.
- On August 8, 2011, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 5,000 shares of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$7.65 per share for his service on certain committees of the Company during the prior twelve month period, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is fully vested and exercisable.
- On August 8, 2012, the Company granted Mr. Berkowitz an option to purchase 5,000 shares of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$5.94 per share for his service on certain committees of the Company during the prior twelve month period, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is fully vested and exercisable six months and one day after grant.

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