GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC

Form 4

January 26, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

PALM GREGORY K

(First) (Middle)

C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO., 200 WEST STREET

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10282

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC [GS]

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

01/24-05:00/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive VP - General Counsel

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Oper Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A		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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	01/24-05:00/2017		M	28,581 A	,	942,331	D	

Common Stock, par

value 01/24-05:00/2017

\$0.01 per share

927,047

81,906 I

D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			See footnote (3)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	15,726	I	See footnote (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 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		vative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,		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	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/24-05:00/2017		M	28,581	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	28,581	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

PALM GREGORY K C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282

Executive VP - General Counsel

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Signatures

/s/ Beverly L. O'Toole, Attorney-in-fact

01/26-05:00/2017

**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).
- On January 24, 2017, shares of the Issuer's common stock underlying Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") that were awarded in connection (1) with compensation for years prior to 2016 were delivered to the Reporting Person without the payment of any consideration. These shares are not related to 2016 compensation.
- (2) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy withholding obligations in connection with the delivery of the common stock underlying the RSUs described in footnote 1 above.
- (3) Held through a limited liability company.
- (4) Held through a trust, the sole trustee of which is the Reporting Person's spouse and the sole beneficiaries of which are immediate family members of the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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