### SHERWOOD MICHAEL S

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### **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB** 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or 0.5 response... Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SHERWOOD MICHAEL S Issuer Symbol **GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC** (Check all applicable) [GS] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & 11/26-05:00/2012 Vice Chairman CO., 200 WEST STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 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 NEW YORK, NY 10282 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership of Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock, par value 11/26-05:00/2012 $M^{(1)}$ 4,266 Α \$ 78.87 136,597 D \$0.01 per share Common \$ Stock, par value 11/26-05:00/2012 S 2,098 D 119.1782 134,499 D (2)\$0.01 per share

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1,823

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132,676

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 120.3096 (3)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/26-05:00/2012	S	345	D	\$ 120.6781 (4)	132,331	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/27-05:00/2012	M <u>(1)</u>	4,266	A	\$ 78.87	136,597	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/27-05:00/2012	S	858	D	\$ 119.0084 (5)	135,739	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/27-05:00/2012	S	1,451	D	\$ 119.9511 (6)	134,288	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/27-05:00/2012	S	1,957	D	\$ 120.7728 <u>(7)</u>	132,331	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/28-05:00/2012	M <u>(1)</u>	4,267	A	\$ 78.87	136,598	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/28-05:00/2012	S	1,923	D	\$ 117.1231 (8)	134,675	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/28-05:00/2012	S	1,394	D	\$ 118.1186 (9)	133,281	D
	11/28-05:00/2012	S	950	D		132,331	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	\$ 119.014 (10)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	:	135,164	I	See footnote (11)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share		103,850	I	See footnote (12)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)	d Expiration Date	7. Un (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Ti
Nonqualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 78.87	11/26-05:00/2012		M	4,266	01/02-05:00/2006	11/30-05:00/2012	C St
Nonqualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 78.87	11/27-05:00/2012		M	4,266	01/02-05:00/2006	11/30-05:00/2012	C St
	\$ 78.87	11/28-05:00/2012		M	4,267	01/02-05:00/2006	11/30-05:00/2012	

Nonqualified Stock **Options** (right to buy)

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHERWOOD MICHAEL S C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282

Vice Chairman

## **Signatures**

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

11/28-05:00/2012

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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).
- Reflects the exercise by the Reporting Person of Stock Options granted in November 2002 and scheduled to expire in November 2012. **(1)** This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the Reporting Person.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$119.1782 per share, at prices ranging from \$118.5700 to \$119.5400 per share. The Reporting **(2)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$120.3096 per share, at prices ranging from \$119.5700 to \$120.5600 per share. The Reporting **(3)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$120.6781 per share, at prices ranging from \$120.5700 to \$120.8400 per share. The Reporting **(4)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$119.0084 per share, at prices ranging from \$118.4400 to \$119.4300 per share. The Reporting **(5)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$119.9511 per share, at prices ranging from \$119.4400 to \$120.4300 per share. The Reporting **(6)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$120.7728 per share, at prices ranging from \$120.4400 to \$121.2900 per share. The Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$117.1231 per share, at prices ranging from \$116.6500 to \$117.6400 per share. The Reporting **(8)** Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$118.1186 per share, at prices ranging from \$117.6500 to \$118.6400 per share. The Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$119.014 per share, at prices ranging from \$118.6500 to \$119.2700 per share. The Reporting (10) Person will provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (11) Held by spouse.
- Reported for informational purposes only. Held through a trust over which the Reporting Person has no investment control and the sole (12) trustee of which is a third-party institution. In accordance with Rule 16a-8, the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held through this trust.

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