

Schaus Roger Jr.
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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 *
Schaus Roger Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GENERAC HOLDINGS INC.
[GNRC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/24/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

C/O GENERAC HOLDINGS INC., P.O. BOX 8

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

WAUKESHA, WI 53189

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock par value \$0.01 per share	02/24/2012		A		<u>1,457</u> (1) A \$ 0 33,611	D	
Common Stock par value \$0.01 per share	02/24/2012		A		<u>4,371</u> (2) A \$ 0 37,982	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Date of Grant.

(3) Options shall vest in equal installments on each of the first four (4) anniversaries of the Date of Grant.

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