

General Finance CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**BARRANTES CHARLES E**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 39 EAST UNION STREET  
 (Street)

PASADENA, CA 91103

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 General Finance CORP [GFN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 06/13/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D) Price  |   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/13/2013                           |  | X                              | 4,750 A \$ 4  | 47,750  | D  |                                   |

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)**

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| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |                  |                 |              |        |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | (A)  | (D)   | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 7.3   | 09/10/2006                           |  | A                              |   | 65,000<br>(1)  |   | 09/10/2007       | 09/10/2016      | Common Stock | 65     |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 7.3   | 09/10/2006                           |  | A                              |   | 160,000<br>(1)   |   | 09/10/2007       | 09/10/2016      | Common Stock | 160    |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 1.28  | 01/26/2010                           |  | A                              |   | 20,000<br>(2)  |   | 06/30/2011       | 01/26/2020      | Common Stock | 20     |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 1.06  | 09/15/2010                           |  | A                              |   | 30,000<br>(3)  |   | 06/30/2014       | 09/15/2020      | Common Stock | 30     |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 3   | 06/23/2011                           |  | A                              |   | 30,000<br>(4)  |   | 09/30/2014       | 06/23/2021      | Common Stock | 30     |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 3.15  | 06/07/2012                           |  | A                              |   | 30,000<br>(5)  |   | 09/30/2015       | 06/07/2022      | Common Stock | 30     |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 4.43  | 06/07/2013                           |  | A                              |   | 20,000<br>(6)  |   | 06/07/2014       | 06/07/2023      | Common Stock | 20     |
| Warrants                                   | \$ 4   | 06/13/2013                           |  | X                              |   | 9,500<br>(7)   |   | 06/25/2010       | 06/25/2013      | Common Stock | 4,     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address              | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| BARRANTES CHARLES E<br>39 EAST UNION STREET |               |           | Chief Financial Officer |       |

PASADENA, CA 91103

## Signatures

Christopher A Wilson, attorney-in-fact for Charles E  
Barrantes

06/13/2013

\_\_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).

- (1) Stock option vests in three equal annual installments beginning September 10, 2007.

Stock option vests on the following date if (a) General Finance Corporation, without consolidation of Pac-Van and Royal Wolf, incurs no more than \$2.288 million of expenses for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012, and (b) if General Finance Corporation and its subsidiaries

- (2) remain throughout fiscal year 2010 in compliance with the covenants governing all of their indebtedness: the first anniversary of the date that the Audit Committee approves the consolidated financial statements of General Finance Corporation for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010.

- (3) See attached document "rider.txt" for explanation of Footnote 3.

- (4) See attached document "rider2.txt" for explanation of Footnote 4.

- (5) See attached document "rider3.txt" for explanation of Footnote 5.

Stock option vests in three equal annual installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date. Vesting of the award will cease if employee ceases to be employed by the Company or its affiliate on or prior to any of the three anniversary dates (subject to any employment agreement between employee and the Company).

- (7) These warrants were issued as a component of Units that were issued as of June 25, 2010 pursuant to the rights offering of General Finance Corporation.

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