BOURKE MURPHY A

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 * BOURKE MURPHY A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GULF ISLAND FABRICATION INC [GIFI]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 583 THOM	(First) PSON ROAD	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2008					Director 10% Owner Softicer (give title Other (specify below)			
	Filed(Mor				nendment, Date Original (onth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
HOUMA, L						Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	e) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I) Ov		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/04/2008			M	1,500	A	\$ 15.63	29,540	D		
Common Stock	03/04/2008			M	1,500	A	\$ 16.69	31,040	D		
Common Stock	03/04/2008			M	1,500	A	\$ 21.85	32,540	D		
Common Stock	03/04/2008			S	5,120	D	\$ 29.2	27,420	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)

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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.63	03/04/2008		M	1,500	12/05/2003(1)	12/05/2012	Common Stock	1,500
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.69	03/04/2008		M	1,500	12/11/2004(2)	12/11/2013	Common Stock	1,500
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.85	03/04/2008		M	1,500	12/10/2005(3)	12/10/2014	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

	Relationships		
Reporting Owner Name / Address	•		

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BOURKE MURPHY A 583 THOMPSON ROAD HOUMA, LA 70363

Vice President - Marketing

Signatures

Robin A. Seibert for Murphy A. Bourke Pursuant to Power of Attorney 03/05/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- (1) Exercisable in annual increments equal to 20% of the total number of options beginning on 12/05/2003 and on the next four subsequent anniversaries thereof.
- (2) Exercisable in annual increments equal to 20% of the total number of options beginning on 12/11/2004 and on the next four subsequent anniversaries thereof.
- (3) Exercisable in annual increments equal to 20% of the total number of options beginning on 12/10/2005 and on the next four subsequent anniversaries thereof.

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