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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 *
WEIS ALBERT M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BGC PARTNERS, INC., 499
PARK AVENUE**

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BGC Partners, Inc. [BGCP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/31/2012

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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			
				Code	V	Amount		
Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	07/31/2012		P	5,000	A	\$ 5.04	231,794 ⁽¹⁾	D
Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	07/31/2012		P	5,000	A	\$ 5.01	236,794 ⁽¹⁾	D
Class A Common	08/01/2012		P	5,000	A	\$ 4.98	241,794 ⁽¹⁾	D

Explanation of Responses:

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- Includes (i) 8,532 shares of Class A Common Stock represented by 8,532 restricted stock units ("RSUs") granted under the BGC Partners, Inc. Third Amended and Restated Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), of which 4,266 RSUs will vest on December 14, 2012 and 4,266 RSUs will vest on December 14, 2013 and (ii) 2,927 shares of Class A Common Stock represented by 2,927 RSUs granted under the Plan on December 13, 2010, which will vest on December 13, 2012. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock. The RSUs granted under the Plan will vest provided that the reporting person continues to serve as a member of the Board of Directors.
- (1) The 2,000 shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock held indirectly by the reporting person consist of (1) 1,000 shares held by the reporting person's spouse and (2) 1,000 shares held in trust for the benefit of the reporting person's children.

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