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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cotter Jeffrey Louis

(First) (Middle) (Last)

5995 OPUS PARKWAY

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

G&K SERVICES INC [GKSR]

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

08/25/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

below) VP, General Counsel, Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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MINNETONKA, MN 55343

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Reported

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A Common Stock

(City)

08/25/2011

5,478 Α (1)

(2)

 $17,606 \frac{(3)}{}$

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ve Expiration (Month/Day		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	/ (A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 26.15	08/25/2011		A	8,939	<u>(4)</u>	08/25/2021	Class A Common Stock	8,939

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Cotter Jeffrey Louis			VP, General				
5995 OPUS PARKWAY			Counsel,				
MINNETONKA, MN 55343			Secretary				

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey L.
Cotter

**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) Subject to the terms of the company's plan, vests in equal increments over a five year period, commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock pursuant to Section 16b-3.
- (3) Awards are subject to vesting in accordance with the terms of the company's plan.
- (4) Subject to the terms of the company's plan, vests in equal increments over a three year period, commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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