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#### **FORM 144**

# NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ATTENTION: Transmit for filing 3 copies of this form concurrently with either placing an order							
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1(a) NAME OF ISSUER (Please type or print)			(b) IRS IDENT. NO.	NO.			
The Gabelli Globa	l Deal Fund		20-8195443	811-21969			
1(d) ADDRESS C ISSUER CODE	νF	STREET		CITY	STATEZ		
One Corporate Center			Rye	NY	10580		
2(a) NAME OF PERSON FOR WHOSE ACCOUNT THE SECURITIES ARE TO BE SOLD	IDENT. NO.	(c) RELATIONSHIP( TO ISSUER	(d) ADDRESS CODE	STREET	CITY		

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	Parent Company of					
GAMCO Investors, 13-4044521 Investment Adviser		One Corporate Center	R	lye l	NY	1058
Inc.	for Issuer					

INSTRUCTION: The person filing this notice should contact the issuer to obtain the I.R.S. Identification Number and the S.E.C. File Number.

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INSTRUCTIONS: (g) (a) Name of Issuer (h) Issuer's I.R.S. Identification Number (i) Issuer's S.E.C. file number, if any (j) Issuer's telephone number, including area code(g) (a) Title of the class of securities to be sold (h) Name and address of each broker through whom the securities are intended to be sold (i) Number of shares or other units to be sold (if debt securities, give the agregate face amount)(g) (a) Name of person for whose account the securities are to be sold (h) Such person's relationship to the issuer (e.g., officer, director, 10% stockholder, or member of immediate family of any of the foregoing)(g) (a) Name of each securities exchange, if any, on which the securities are intended to be sold (g) Name of each securities exchange, if any, on which the securities are intended to be sold (g) Name of each securities exchange, if any, on which the securities are intended to be sold									
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### TABLE I – SECURITIES TO BE SOLD

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration \_herefore:

Title of the Class	Date You Acquired	Nature of Acquisitic Transaction	Name of Person on from Whom Acquired (if gift, also give date donor acquired)	Amount of Securities Acquired	Date of Payment	Nature of Payment
Common Stock	01/26/07	Private Purchase	Issuer	15,000	01/31/07	Cash

INSTRUCTIONS: If the securities were purchased and full payment therefore was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments, describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

#### TABLE II – SECURITIES SOLD DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of	Gross Proceeds
			Securities Sold	
		10/21/08	15,000	195,344
GAMCO Investors, Inc.	Common Stock	10/22/08	15,000	193,715
One Corporate Center		10/23/08	15,000	191,987
Rye, NY 10580		10/24/08	15,000	186,599
		10/27/08	15,000	187,053
		10/28/08	15,000	187,104
		10/29/08	15,000	188,456
		10/30/08	15,000	195,842
		10/31/08	7,500	98,333
		11/3/08	2,000	26,664
		11/4/08	1,200	16,344
		11/5/08	15,000	201,699
		11/6/08	15,000	198,890
		11/7/08	15,000	199,343
		11/10/08	15,000	198,383
		11/11/08	15,000	193,278
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#### INSTRUCTIONS:

#### ATTENTION:

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of RuTthe person for whose account the securities to which this 144. Information is to be given not only as to the personnotice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as tothis notice that he does not know any material adverse all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information in regard to the current and prospective information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to behas not been publicly disclosed. If such person has aggregated with sales for the account of the person filingadopted a written trading plan or given trading this notice.

Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date.

November 12, 2008 DATE OF NOTICE /s/ Douglas R. Jamieson

(SIGNATURE)

Douglas R. Jamieson, President

# DATE OF PLAN ADOPTION OR GIVING OF INSTRUCTION

IF RELYING ON<br/>RULE 10B5-1The notice shall be signed by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold. At least<br/>one copy of the notice shall be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed shall bear<br/>typed or printed signatures.

ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)

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