GOLDEN TELECOM INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Addre Vandromme Je | | ng Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GOLDEN TELECOM INC [GLDN] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| 2831 29TH STREET, NW | | | (Month/Day/Year) 06/27/2007 | _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| WASHINGTON, DC 20008 | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) (Z | Table | I - Non-De | rivative Sec | curitie | s Acquire | ed, Disposed of, o | or Beneficially | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securitie for Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 | d of (D |)) | 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Acquisition of Common Stock | 06/27/2007 | | M | 200,667 | A | \$ 29.83 | 200,667 | D | |
| Sale of Common Stock | 06/27/2007 | | S | 200,667 | D | \$ 53.8 | 0 | 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Code Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8) Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---------|--|---------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| Stock Appreciation Rights (1) | \$ 29.83 | 06/27/2007 | | M | | 200,667 | (2) | <u>(3)</u> | Common Stock |
| Options to purchase Common Stock | \$ 53.8 | 06/27/2007 | | A | 334,000 | | <u>(4)</u> | 06/12/2012 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Hume / Hudress | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Vandromme Jean-Pierre 2831 29TH STREET, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20008 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Jean-Pierre
Vandromme

**Signature of Reporting

Date

Person

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).
- The undersigned has agreed to cap on his existing outstanding stock appreciation rights using the closing price of the Company's common stock on June 27, 2007 of \$53.80. Simultaneously, the undersigned was granted options with the same vesting conditions with an exercise price of \$53.80. Thus, the maximum amount of cash he can receive upon exercise of a stock appreciation right is the difference between \$53.80 and the exercise price. The other terms of these SARs is unchanged.
- (2) The SARs will vest in increments of 66,667 each on September 1, 2007 and September 1, 2008, respectively.
- (3) There is no expiration date.
- (4) 200,667 options are fully vested. The remaining options will vest in increments of 66,667 each on September 1, 2007 and September 1, 2008, respectively.

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