#### **GULF ISLAND FABRICATION INC**

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

Common

Stock

12/01/2006

1. Name and A CHAUVIN	Address of Report	ing Person *	Symbol GULF	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> 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) 12/01/2006			X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO				
	(Street)	,			Amendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
HOUMA, L	A 70363							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	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)
Common Stock	12/01/2006			M	5,000	A	\$ 18	78,700	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2006			M	25,000	A	\$ 9.5	103,700	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2006			S	4,000	D	\$ 39	99,700	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2006			S	600	D	\$ 39.01	99,100	D	

S

300

D

98,800

D

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Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	400	D	\$ 39.04	98,400	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	228	D	\$ 39.06	98,172	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 39.1	97,172	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 39.2	96,172	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	276	D	\$ 39.21	95,896	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	4,273	D	\$ 39.24	91,623	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	106	D	\$ 39.25	91,517	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 39.28	90,517	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	1,171	D	\$ 39.3	89,346	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	750	D	\$ 39.33	88,596	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	731	D	\$ 39.39	87,865	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	2,100	D	\$ 39.4	85,765	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	467	D	\$ 39.41	85,298	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	6,714	D	\$ 39.5	78,584	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	400	D	\$ 39.51	78,184	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	100	D	\$ 39.52	78,084	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	307	D	\$ 39.56	77,777	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	3,205	D	\$ 39.6	74,572	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	100	D	\$ 39.65	74,472	D
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	300	D	\$ 39.66	74,172	D
	12/01/2006	S	100	D		74,072	D

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Common Stock					\$ 39.67	
Common Stock	12/01/2006	S	372	D	\$ 39.05 73,700	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 Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title C
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.5	12/01/2006		M	25,000	01/03/2001(1)	01/03/2010	Common Stock
Options(Right to Buy)	\$ 18	12/01/2006		M	5,000	01/22/1999(2)	01/22/2008	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CHAUVIN KERRY J 583 THOMPSON ROAD HOUMA, LA 70363	X		President & CEO			

## **Signatures**

Kerry J. Chauvin	12/05/2006			
**Signature of	Date			

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- \* 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) Exercisable in annual increments equal to 20% of the total number of options beginning on 1/03/2001 and on the next four subsequent one year anniversaries thereof.
- (2) Exercisable in annual increments equal to 20% of the total number of options beginning on 1/22/1999 and on the next four subsequent one year anniversaries thereof.

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