

GABELLI MARIO J
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GABELLI MARIO J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O GAMCO INVESTORS,
INC, ONE CORPORATE CENTER

(Street)

RYE, NY 10580

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

GDL FUND [GDL.B]

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

11/22/2017

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)

Control Person of Adviser

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares	11/22/2017		P	200	A \$ 50.7637	200	I Trust Accounts ⁽¹⁾
Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares	12/04/2017		P	100	A \$ 50.65	300	I Trust Accounts ⁽¹⁾

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Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares	11/22/2017	P	100	A	\$ 50.7637	38,500	D	
Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares	11/22/2017	P	200	A	\$ 50.7637	200	I	Investment Partnerships (2)
Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares	11/22/2017	P	100	A	\$ 50.7637	100	I	GPJ Retirement Partners (3)
Series B Cumulative Puttable and Callable Preferred Shares						450,000	I	E3M 2016, LLC (4)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GABELLI MARIO J C/O GAMCO INVESTORS, INC ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580	X	X		Control Person of Adviser

Signatures

Douglas R. Jamieson as Attorney-in-Fact for Mario J. Gabelli

12/06/2017

__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) The shares reported reflect the total shares owned by trust accounts for which Mario J. Gabelli serves as trustee.

Shares are owned by MJG Associates and Gabelli Fund, LDC. MJG Associates provides advisory services to private investment

(2) partnerships and offshore funds. Mario Gabelli is the sole shareholder, director and employee of MJG Associates. MJG Associates is the investment adviser of Gabelli Fund, LDC.

The shares reported reflect the total shares owned by GPJ Retirement Partners, LLC, a limited liability company. Mr. Gabelli has less

(3) than a 100% interest in the entity and disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by this entity which are in excess of his indirect pecuniary interest.

(4) E3M 2016 is a limited liability company owned entirely by Mr. Gabelli.

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