

GAGNON NEIL  
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# FORM 5

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GAGNON NEIL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
General Finance CORP [GFN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2011

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

1370 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 24TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

Form Filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	03/03/2008	Â	P4	5,340 A	\$ 8.45 0 (1)	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Fallen Angel Partnership

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COMMON STOCK	03/03/2008	Â	P4	42,745	A	\$ 8.45	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	03/03/2008	Â	P4	315	A	\$ 8.45	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Self as Trustee of Gagnon Securiites LLC Profit Sharing Plan
COMMON STOCK	03/03/2008	Â	P4	3,530	A	\$ 8.45	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â
COMMON STOCK	03/04/2008	Â	J4 <sup>(2)</sup>	910	A	\$ 8.7	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	03/04/2008	Â	J4 <sup>(2)</sup>	880	A	\$ 8.7	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	03/04/2008	Â	J4 <sup>(2)</sup>	55	A	\$ 8.7	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master

COMMON STOCK	03/04/2008	Â	J4 <sup>(2)</sup>	55	A	\$ 8.70 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	03/19/2008	Â	P4	220	A	\$ 7.45 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Self as Trustee of Gagnon Securities LLC Profit Sharing Plan
COMMON STOCK	04/29/2008	Â	S4	315	D	\$ 7.12 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Self as Trustee of Gagnon Securities LLC Profit Sharing Plan
COMMON STOCK	04/29/2008	Â	S4	135	D	\$ 7.12 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Self as Trustee of Gagnon Securities LLC Profit Sharing Plan
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	12,453	A	\$ 5.10 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Darwin Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	19,329	A	\$ 5.10 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Fallen Angel Partnership

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COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	10,175	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	5,918	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	325	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	1,000	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	1,800	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	2,817	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Limited Partner of the Family Partnership of the Family Partnership
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	40,454	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of

COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	22,835	A	\$ 5.1 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	2,364	A	\$ 5.1 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	1,335	A	\$ 5.1 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	7,881	A	\$ 5.1 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	4,448	A	\$ 5.1 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Managing Member of

COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	15,621	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	8,818	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	8,282	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
COMMON STOCK	05/30/2008	Â	M4	6,281	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP By Managing Member of General Partner of Gagnon Investment Associates Master Fund LP
	05/30/2008	Â	M4	2,932	A	\$ 5.1 0 <u>(1)</u>	I	

COMMON  
STOCK

By  
Managing  
Member of  
General  
Partner of  
Gagnon  
Investment  
Associates  
Master  
Fund LP

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Warrants	\$ 6	03/03/2008	Â	P4	634	Â	03/03/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/03/2008	Â	P4	972	Â	03/03/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/03/2008	Â	P4	8,282	Â	03/03/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

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Warrants	\$ 6	03/14/2008	Â	P4	481	Â	03/14/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/14/2008	Â	P4	738	Â	03/14/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/14/2008	Â	P4	6,281	Â	03/14/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/17/2008	Â	P4	224	Â	03/17/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/17/2008	Â	P4	344	Â	03/17/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/17/2008	Â	P4	2,932	Â	03/17/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1



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Warrants	\$ 6	03/18/2008	Â	P4	160	Â	03/18/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/18/2008	Â	P4	246	Â	03/18/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/18/2008	Â	P4	2,094	Â	03/18/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/20/2008	Â	P4	51	Â	03/20/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/20/2008	Â	P4	79	Â	03/20/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

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Warrants	\$ 6	03/20/2008	Â	P4	670	Â	03/20/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/24/2008	Â	P4	321	Â	03/24/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/24/2008	Â	P4	492	Â	03/24/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/24/2008	Â	P4	4,187	Â	03/24/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/25/2008	Â	P4	160	Â	03/25/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/25/2008	Â	P4	246	Â	03/25/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

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Warrants	\$ 6	03/25/2008	Â	P4	2,094	Â	03/25/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/26/2008	Â	P4	64	Â	03/26/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/26/2008	Â	P4	98	Â	03/26/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/26/2008	Â	P4	838	Â	03/26/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/27/2008	Â	P4	71	Â	03/27/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/27/2008	Â	P4	108	Â	03/27/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

Warrants	\$ 6	03/27/2008	Â	P4	921	Â	03/27/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/31/2008	Â	P4	160	Â	03/31/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/31/2008	Â	P4	246	Â	03/31/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1
Warrants	\$ 6	03/31/2008	Â	P4	2,094	Â	03/31/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	1

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GAGNON NEIL 1370 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 24TH FLOOR	Â	Â X	Â	Â

NEW YORK, NY 10019

## Signatures

/s/ Neil Gagnon

05/21/2012

\*\*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) This number reflects that the first fiscal year involved in this set of Form 5 filings has not yet ended.
- (2) Distribution of rights to purchase common stock from the issuer.

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### Remarks:

The Reporting Person has tendered a payment of \$7,659.31 to the issuer with respect to all profits

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