

GENERAL MOTORS CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 KATEN KAREN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

300 RENAISSANCE CENTER

(Street)

DETROIT, MI 48265-3000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GENERAL MOTORS CORP [GM]

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

12/31/2008

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value				(A) or (D) Price	6,000	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. 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	\$ 0	12/31/2008		A	14,610	<u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u>	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 14,610
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>	\$ 75.5					01/10/2001 <u>(2)</u> 01/11/2010	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 2,311
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <u>(2)</u>	\$ 52.35					01/08/2002 <u>(2)</u> 01/09/2011	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 2,830
GM Stock \$1-2/3 Par Value Option (Right to Buy) <u>(3)</u>	\$ 50.46					01/07/2003 <u>(3)</u> 01/08/2012	General Motors Common Stock, \$1-2/3 Par Value 3,000

