

THIEFFRY ALAIN  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
THIEFFRY ALAIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Gaming Partners International CORP  
[GPIC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1700 INDUSTRIAL ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/12/2008

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

LAS VEGAS, NV 89102  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price                                |   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 9,000   | 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)**

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| 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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Option/Right to Buy <sup>(1)</sup>         | \$ 18.37   |                                      |  |                                |   | 03/14/2006 09/12/2015                                    | Common Stock 3,500  |
| Option/Right to Buy <sup>(2)</sup>         | \$ 21.05   |                                      |  |                                |   | 03/14/2007 09/12/2016                                    | Common Stock 3,500  |
| Option/Right to Buy <sup>(3)</sup>         | \$ 10.1  |                                      |  |                                |   | 03/14/2008 09/12/2017                                    | Common Stock 3,500  |
| Option/Right to Buy <sup>(4)</sup>         | \$ 5.35  | 09/12/2008                           |  | A                              | 3,500   | 03/14/2009 09/12/2018                                    | Common Stock 3,500  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| THIEFFRY ALAIN<br>1700 INDUSTRIAL ROAD<br>LAS VEGAS, NV 89102 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ David W. Grimes, by power of attorney

09/15/2008

\*\*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) As previously reported, on September 12, 2005, Gaming Partners International Corporation (the "Company") granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of their \$0.01 par value common stock at \$18.37 per share, pursuant to the Company's 1994 Directors' Stock Option Plan, as amended (the "Plan"). The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.

(2) As previously reported, on September 12, 2006, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 share of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock at \$21.05 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.

(3) As previously reported, on September 12, 2007, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of the Company's \$0.01 par value common stock at \$10.10 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option is currently fully vested and exercisable.

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- On September 12, 2008, the Company granted Mr. Thieffry an option to purchase 3,500 shares of the Company's \$0.01 par value
- (4) common stock at \$5.35 per share, pursuant to the Plan. The grant was exempt under Rule 16b-3. The option was fully vested upon the date of grant, but is not exercisable until March 14, 2009.

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