FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Leight Nathan</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Great Lakes Dredge & Dock CORP GLDD GLDD									Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director Officer (give title)			10%	Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)																belov		e	belov	r (specify v)
GREAT LAKES DREDGE & DOCK CORPORATION						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2011														
2122 YORK ROAD					4. I1	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)															Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
OAK BROOK IL 60523											Form filed by More than One Reporting Person									
(City)		(Stat	e) (.	Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactic Date (Month/Day/					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 ar			Beneficially Owned Followin		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock				08/05/2011				P		15,000	A	\$4.81	9(1)	1,526,671		D			
Common Stock															367	7,250		I	Common Stock Held by the Leight Family Irrevocable Trust	
Common Stock															4,000		I		Common Stock Held by various family trusts ⁽²⁾	
			Та	ble II								osed of, convertib				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversior or Exercise Price of Derivative Security			on Date se (Month/Day/Year) Exc if a (Mo		eemed 4. ution Date, Tr		action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		cisable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. De Se (In	Price of privative ocurity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents the weighted average price. The price range is \$4.79 to \$4.85. Upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares acquired at each separate price.
- 2. 1000 shares of common stock are owned by Bruce Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's son is the beneficiary), 1000 shares are owned by Jennifer Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's daughter is the beneficiary), 1000 shares are owned by Keith Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's son is the beneficiary), and 1000 shares are owned by Lillianne Leight UGMA (Mr. Leight's daughter is the beneficiary). Mr. Leight serves as a trustee or co-trustee of those trusts.

/s/ Nathan D. Leight 08/08/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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