

DeWalt Diana
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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 *
DeWalt Diana

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GEN-PROBE
INCORPORATED, 10210
GENETIC CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GEN PROBE INC [GPRO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/01/2012

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)
Senior VP, Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/01/2012		D	(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price D 16,560 \$ (1) 82.75	0	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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 48.81	08/01/2012		D		50,000		<u>(2)</u>	02/01/2015	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.5	08/01/2012		D		4,646		<u>(2)</u>	10/17/2015	Common Stock	4,646
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 49.29	08/01/2012		D		27,000		<u>(2)</u>	08/15/2013	Common Stock	27,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 60.82	08/01/2012		D		23,000		<u>(2)</u>	08/15/2014	Common Stock	23,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 60.15	08/01/2012		D		15,000		<u>(2)</u>	08/15/2015	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.51	08/01/2012		D		6,125		<u>(2)</u>	08/17/2016	Common Stock	6,125
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.66	08/01/2012		D		26,600		<u>(2)</u>	02/10/2017	Common Stock	26,600
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.8	08/01/2012		D		21,182		<u>(2)</u>	02/10/2018	Common Stock	21,182
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 69.22	08/01/2012		D		23,411		<u>(3)</u>	02/10/2019	Common Stock	23,411
Performance Stock Rights	\$ 0	08/01/2012		D		2,407		<u>(5)</u>	02/10/2014	Common Stock	2,407
Performance Stock Rights	\$ 0	08/01/2012		D		9,600		<u>(6)</u>	02/10/2015	Common Stock	9,600

