Sorrells Christopher D. Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Sorrells Christopher D.

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

03/06/2012

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GSE SYSTEMS INC [GVP]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Officer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

NGP ENERGY TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS, 1700 K STREET

NW. SUITE 750

(Street)

(Check all applicable) 10% Owner _X_ Director

_Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

WASHINGTON, DCÂ 20006

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

0

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

(Instr. 5)

(I) (Instr. 5) Â D

Common Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sorrells Christopher D.

NGP ENERGY TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS 1700 K STREET NW, SUITE 750 WASHINGTON, DCÂ 20006

X Â Â Â

Signatures

/s/ Christopher D. 03/14/2012 Sorrells

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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