

Gevo, Inc.  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br>Â KISHORE GANESH<br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>02/08/2011 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Gevo, Inc. [GEVO] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below) (specify below) | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
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C/O MALAYSIAN LIFE SCIENCES CPL FUND LTD, Â 36-01, L MENARA DION, 27 JALAN SULTAN IS  
(Street)

50250 KUALA LUMPUR, Â N8Â  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

|                                    |  |   |  |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|

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)**

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|---|---|--|---|---|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                            | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |             |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Series C Preferred Stock   | Â (1)            | Â (1)           | Common Stock | 802,920 (3)                | \$ (1)   | I                                     | By fund (4) |
| Series D Preferred Stock   | Â (1)            | Â (1)           | Common Stock | 497,160 (3)                | \$ (1)   | I                                     | By fund (4) |
| Series D-1 Preferred Stock | Â (2)            | Â (2)           | Common Stock | 126,515 (2)                | \$ (2)   | I                                     | By fund (4) |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KISHORE GANESH<br>C/O MALAYSIAN LIFE SCIENCES CPL FUND LTD<br>36-01, L MENARA DION, 27 JALAN SULTAN IS<br>50250 KUALA LUMPUR, N8 | Â X           | Â         | Â       | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Ganesh Kishore  
Date: 02/08/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The preferred stock is convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock at any time on a one-for-one basis and has no expiration date.  
The preferred stock is currently convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis and has no expiration date. However, upon completion of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of the preferred stock will automatically convert into a number of shares of the Issuer's common stock as determined pursuant to the terms of the Issuer's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on May 4, 2010, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 3.1 to the Issuer's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-168792), as amended, initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 12, 2010.
  - (3) The preferred stock will automatically convert into shares of the Issuer's common stock upon the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering.  
The shares of preferred stock were issued to Malaysian Life Sciences Capital Fund Ltd. ("Malaysian Life Sciences"). Ganesh Kishore, Ph.D. is the Chief Executive Officer of Malaysian Life Sciences and may be held to have voting and dispositive power over shares held by the fund. Dr. Kishore disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by Malaysian Life Sciences except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
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**Remarks:**  
Exhibit 24.1 Power of Attorney

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