

Fortunato Joe
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
Fortunato Joe

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GNC ACQUISITION HOLDINGS INC. [GNC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
GNC HOLDINGS, INC., 300 SIXTH AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/06/2011

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

PITTSBURGH, PA 15222

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

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A common stock, par value \$0.001 ("Common Stock")	04/06/2011		M		80,000	A	\$ 5 281,801	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2011		S		281,801	D	\$ 16 0	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2011		S		22,092	D	\$ 16 24,600	I	By grantor retained

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- * 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) The reported security was redeemed by the issuer at a redemption price per share of \$5.00, plus accrued and unpaid dividends through the redemption date of April 6, 2011, for a total redemption price of \$7.47 per share.
- (2) Option granted on March 16, 2007. This option, representing a right to purchase 80,000 shares of Common Stock, is fully vested and can be exercised at any time.

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