

WINMARK CORP
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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 *
Zola Steven C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4200 DAHLBERG DRIVE SUITE 100

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WINMARK CORP [WINA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/11/2008

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)
President, Winmark Capital

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 9,641 | I | By Zola Living Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | 500 | I | Child 1 |
| Common Stock | | | | | 500 | I | Child 2 |

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)

| 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code V (A) (D) | | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.99 | | | | | 01/13/2006 ⁽¹⁾ 01/13/2015 | Common Stock |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.46 | | | | | 12/13/2006 ⁽²⁾ 12/13/2015 | Common Stock |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.32 | | | | | 12/14/2007 ⁽²⁾ 12/14/2016 | Common Stock |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.96 | | | | | 12/13/2008 ⁽²⁾ 12/13/2017 | common stock |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 16.52 | | | | | 08/13/2009 ⁽²⁾ 08/13/2018 | Common Stock |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 12.75 | 12/11/2008 | | A | 16,000 | 12/11/2009 ⁽²⁾ 12/11/2018 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Zola Steven C 4200 DAHLBERG DRIVE SUITE 100 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422 | | | President, Winmark Capital | |

Signatures

/s/ Steven C.
Zola

12/12/2008

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) 20% per year for 5 years
 - (2) 25% per year for 4 years

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