#### CALDER JAMES A

Form 4

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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

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obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CALDER JAMES A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			Great Wolf Resorts, Inc. [WOLF]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
525 JUNCTION ROAD, SUITE			12/31/2011	X Officer (give title Other (specify		
6000 SOUTH				below) below)		
				CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
MADISON, WI 53717				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/31/2011	12/31/2011	F	21,916 (1)	D	\$ 2.97	261,067	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2010	12/31/2010	F	2,022	D	\$ 2.97	259,045	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)

1. Title of	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					(A) or						Repo
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
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						Date	Expiration		or Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
.t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CALDER JAMES A							
525 JUNCTION ROAD			CFO				
SUITE 6000 SOUTH			CFO				

# **Signatures**

MADISON, WI 53717

/s/ James Calder 01/04/2012 \*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

### **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).

Reporting Person was granted 185,899 restricted shares of common stock on March 2, 2010 under the issuer's 2004 Incentive Stock Plan. The shares vest as to 33-1/3% of the total immediately, 33-1/3% of the total on December 31, 2010, and 33-1/3% of the total on

- (1) December 31, 2011. The issuer withheld 21,916 shares as payment of Reporting Person's income tax withholding in connection with the award amount that vested on December 31, 2011. Computation of the number of shares withheld for payment of tax was based upon the closing price of issuer's stock on the vesting date.
  - Reporting Person was granted 18,275 restricted shares of common stock on February 25, 2011 under the issuer's 2004 Incentive Stock Plan. The shares vest as to 33-1/3% of the total immediately, 33-1/3% of the total on December 31, 2011, and 33-1/3% of the total on
- (2) December 31, 2012. The issuer withheld 2,022 shares as payment of Reporting Person's income tax withholding in connection with the award amount that vested on December 31, 2011. Computation of the number of shares withheld for payment of tax was based upon the closing price of issuer's stock on the vesting date.

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