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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Adamo Joseph

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

GENCO SHIPPING & TRADING LTD [GNK]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

C/O GENCO SHIPPING & TRADING LIMITED, 299 PARK 08/07/2015

Chief Accounting Officer

AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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NEW YORK, NY 10171

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

484 (1)

Reported

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(2) (3)	03/04/2019		A	1,788	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	1,788 (2)
Option	\$ 8.39	03/04/2019		A	4,054	03/04/2020(4)	03/04/2025	Common Stock	4,054
Warrant	\$ 259.1 (5)					08/07/2015 <u>(6)</u>	08/07/2020	Common Stock	1,235 (5)
Warrant	\$ 287.3 (5)					08/07/2015 <u>(6)</u>	08/07/2020	Common Stock	1,280 (5)
Warrant	\$ 341.9 (5)					08/07/2015 <u>(6)</u>	08/07/2020	Common Stock	1,925 (5)
Warrant	\$ 209.9 (5)					07/09/2014	07/09/2021	Common Stock	285

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Adamo Joseph C/O GENCO SHIPPING & TRADING LIMITED 299 PARK AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10171			Chief Accounting Officer		

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Adamo	03/06/2019		
**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) Adjusted for the issuer's 1-for-10 reverse stock split that occurred on July 7, 2016.

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- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock, or in the sole discretion of the issuer's Compensation Committee, the value of a share of common stock on the date that the restricted stock unit vests.
- (3) These restricted stock units generally vest in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of March 4, 2019, subject to postponement of settlement if the vesting occurs during a blackout period or other trading restriction.
- (4) These options generally become exercisable in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of March 4, 2019.
- (5) On July 7, 2016, the issuer effected a 1-for-10 reverse stock split. The amount of securities beneficially owned and the exercise price of warrants have been adjusted to reflect the reverse stock split.
- (6) These warrants became exercisable in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of August 7, 2014.

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