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Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 1)*

Gander Mountain Company

(Name of Issuer)

Common stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

36471P 10 8

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2005

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- o Rule 13d-1(c)
- ý Rule 13d-1(d)

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^{*}The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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CUSIP No. 36471P 10 8

| 1. | Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Gerald A. Erickson | | | |
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| 2. | Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)* (a) o | | | |
| | (a) (b) | o ý | | |
| 3. | SEC Use Only | | | |
| 4. | Citizenship or Place of Organization United States | | | |
| | 5. | | Sole Voting Power 156,279 | |
| Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by | 6. | | Shared Voting Power 5,852,812 | |
| Each Reporting Person With | 7. | | Sole Dispositive Power 156,279 | |
| | 8. | | Shared Dispositive Power 5,852,812 | |
| 9. | Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 6,009,091 | | | |
| 10. | Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)* o | | | |
| 11. | Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 42.1% | | | |
| 12. | Type of Reporting Pe IN | erson (See Instructions) | | |

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| Item 1. | | | | |
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| | (a) | Name of Issuer | | |
| | | Gander Mountain Company | | |
| | (b) | Address of Issuer s Principal | Executive Offices | |
| | | 180 East Fifth Street | | |
| | | Saint Paul, MN 55101 | | |
| Item 2. | | | | |
| Item 2. | (a) | Name of Person Filing | | |
| | (11) | This statement is filed by: | | |
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| | | Gerald A.Erickson | | |
| | (b) | Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence | | |
| | . , | 4567 American Boulevard Wo | | |
| | | | | |
| | | Minneapolis, Minnesota 5543 | 7 | |
| | (c) | Citizenship | | |
| | | United States | | |
| | (d) | Title of Class of Securities | | |
| | | Common Stock, \$.01 par valu | e | |
| | (e) | CUSIP Number | | |
| | | 36471P 10 8 | | |
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| Item 3 | If this statement is fil | ed pursuant to 88240 13d-1(b) (| or 240 13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a | |
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| Item 3. | If this statement is file (a) | ed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) o | Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. | |
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Item 4. Ownership

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

6,009,091

Mr. Erickson directly owns 126,039 shares of Common Stock of the Company. Mr. Erickson serves as the trustee of trusts for the benefit of his children that hold an aggregate of 30,240 shares of Common Stock of the Company. As a result of Mr. Erickson s service on the Board of Directors of Holiday Stationstores, Inc. (HSI) and ownership interest in HSI, Mr. Erickson may be deemed to possess beneficial ownership of the 5,852,812 shares of Common Stock owned by HSI. Mr. Erickson disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock held by HSI except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in such shares.

(b) Percent of class:

42.1 %

The percentage of Common Stock reported herein is based on 14,264,073 shares of outstanding Common Stock of the Company, which is the total number of shares issued and outstanding on December 1, 2005.

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

156,279

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

5,852,812

As a result of Mr. Erickson s service on the Board of Directors of HSI and ownership interest in HSI, Mr. Erickson may be deemed to possess beneficial ownership of the 5,852,812 shares of Common Stock owned by HSI. Mr. Erickson disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock held by HSI except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in such shares.

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

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(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

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Instruction. For computations regarding securities which represent a right to acquire an underlying security see §240.13d3(d)(1).

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following o.

Instruction. Dissolution of a group requires a response to this item.

Not Applicable

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Shareholders of HSI participate in the receipt of dividends from, and proceeds from the sale of, the shares owned by HSI.

Donovan Erickson, Gerald Erickson, Neal Erickson, Richard Erickson, Ronald Erickson and Marjorie Pihl all own 5% or

more of the outstanding capital stock of HSI. The Board of Directors of HSI has the power to direct the receipt of

dividends from the shares owned by HSI. Donovan Erickson, Gerald Erickson, Neal Erickson, Richard Erickson, Ronald

Erickson and Charles Pihl constitute the Board of Directors of HSI.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding

Company or Control Person

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 14, 2006 Date

/s/ Gerald A. Erickson Signature

Gerald A. Erickson Name/Title

The original statement shall be signed by each person on whose behalf the statement is filed or his authorized representative. If the statement is signed on behalf of a person by his authorized representative other than an executive officer or general partner of the filing person, evidence of the representative s authority to sign on behalf of such person shall be filed with the statement, provided, however, that a power of attorney for this purpose which is already on file with the Commission may be incorporated by reference. The name and any title of each person who signs the statement shall be typed or printed beneath his signature.

NOTE: Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. *See* § 240.13d-7 for other parties for whom copies are to be sent.

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)

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