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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Sowell William D</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GREEN DOT CORP [GDOT]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/01/2012</u>						
<u>3465 EAST FOOTHILL BOULEVARD</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(Street)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
<u>PASADENA</u>	<u>CA</u>	<u>91107</u>							
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
<u>Class A Common Stock</u>								<u>2,152⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>D</u>	

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 Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
<u>Stock Option (right to buy Class A Common Stock)</u>	<u>\$12.75</u>	<u>10/01/2012</u>		<u>A</u>		<u>97,000</u>		<u>(2)</u>	<u>10/01/2022</u>	<u>Class A Common Stock</u>	<u>97,000</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>97,000</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Class B Common Stock⁽³⁾</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>							<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>Class A Common Stock</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	<u>D</u>	

Explanation of Responses:

- Includes 829 shares acquired under the issuer's employee stock purchase plan on May 14, 2012.
- Options vest as to 1/4 of the shares on August 3, 2013 and then 1/48th monthly thereafter, subject to the reporting person's provision of service to the issuer on each vesting date.
- The Class B Common Stock is convertible at the holder's option into the issuer's Class A Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis and has no expiration date.

Remarks:

/s/ Lina Davidian as attorney-in-fact for William D. Sowell 10/03/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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