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December 20, 2012

SCHEDULE 13D

DATE OF EVENT WHICH REQUIRES FILING OF THIS STATEMENT 12/18/12

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Bulldog Investors, Brooklyn Capital Management, Phillip Goldstein and Andrew Dakos

2. CHECK THE BOX IF MEMBER OF A GROUP

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- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. SOURCE OF FUNDS

- 5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) AND 2(e)
- 6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION USA

7. SOLE VOTING POWER

127,162

8. SHARED VOTING POWER

27,662

9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

154,824

10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

154,824

12. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

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- 13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY ROW 11
- 10.44%
- 14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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Item 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER

This statement constitutes Amendment # 4 to the Schedule 13d filed on April 2, 2012. Except as specifically set forth herein, the Schedule 13d remains unmodified.

ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER As per the 10-Q filed on November 9, 2011 there were 1,482,680 shares of common stock outstanding as of 11/09/2011 The percentage set forth in item 5 was derived using such number. Bulldog Investors, Brooklyn Capital Management, Phillip Goldstein and Andrew Dakos beneficially own an aggregate of 154,824 shares of GYRO or 10.44 of the outstanding shares.Power to dispose of and vote securities resides either with Mr. Goldstein, Mr. Dakos or with clients.

c) Since the last filing on 11/27/12 the following shares of GYRO were sold:

Date:	Shares:	Price:
11/27/12	(5,544)	110.4028
12/17/12	(7,000)	75.5190
12/18/12	(23,431)	75.0484
12/19/12	(27,371)	75.0615

- d) Beneficiaries of managed accounts are entitled to receive any dividends or sales proceeds.
- e) NA

ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

None.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS None.

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.

Dated: 12/20/2012

By: /s/ Phillip Goldstein Name: Phillip Goldstein

By: /S/ Andrew Dakos Name: Andrew Dakos