Wasel S Mitchel Form 4 April 16, 2013

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Wasel S Mitchel

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

**GOLDEN STAR RESOURCES** 

LTD [GSS]

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

Vice President, Exploration

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

02/28/2013

below)

Other (specify

150 KING STREET WEST, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

(First)

1200

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TORONTO, A6 M5H 1J9

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

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

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 Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of ( (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)	(D)			(Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title 2
Common Share Options	\$ 1.62 <u>(1)</u>	02/28/2013		A	139,708		02/28/2013(2)	02/28/2018	Common Shares
Share Appreciation Rights (3)	\$ 1.67 (4)	02/28/2013		A	104,920		02/28/2016(5)	12/31/2018	Common Shares

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wasel S Mitchel 150 KING STREET WEST SUITE 1200 TORONTO, A6 M5H 1J9

Vice President, Exploration

## **Signatures**

S. Mitchell 04/16/2013

\*\*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).
- (1) Options priced in CDN\$1.67; this amount is the US\$ equivalent of the grant date (CD\$1.00=US\$0.9723).
- (2) Vesting schedule is as follows: 33.33% on grant date, 33.33% on 1st and 2nd anniversaries of grant date.
- (3) SARs are granted pursuant to the Golden Star Resource Ltd. Share Appreciation Rights Plan. All SAR exercises will be settled in cash.
- (4) SARs priced in US\$.
- (5) SARs vest 33.33% in three years and 33.33% in year four and 33.33% in year five and will expire on December 31, 2018.

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