#### NYMEX HOLDINGS INC

Form 3

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# FORM 3

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement NYMEX HOLDINGS INC [NONE]  **GAPCO MANAGEMENT** (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2006 **GMBH** (Last) (First) (Middle) 5. If Amendment, Date Original 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O GENERAL ATLANTIC (Check all applicable) GMBH. KOENIGSALLEE 63 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group \_\_X\_\_ 10% Owner Director Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 40212 Form filed by More than One DUESSELDORFTÂ Germany Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip)

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

(Instr. 5) Direct (D)

Ownership

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. 6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form of (Instr. 5) Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

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Shares or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Series A Cumulative Redeemable Convertible  $\hat{A}$   $\stackrel{(1)}{=}$   $\hat{A}$   $\stackrel{(2)}{=}$   $\stackrel{Common}{Stock}$  16,973  $\stackrel{(3)}{=}$   $\stackrel{(3)}{=}$   $\stackrel{I}{=}$  See  $\stackrel{(4)}{=}$ 

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Officer Other

Director Owner Officer Other

GAPCO MANAGEMENT GMBH C/O GENERAL ATLANTIC GMBH KOENIGSALLEE 63 40212 DUESSELDORFTÂ Germany

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# **Signatures**

Matthew Nimetz, Managing
Director

03/21/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Immediately
- (2) None
- (3) Each share of Series A Cumulative Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into one share of common stock of the issuer.
- (4) By GAPCO GmbH & Co. KG, of which GAPCO Management GmbH is the general partner.

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