

Lynn Shaun D
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Lynn Shaun D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BGC Partners, Inc. [BGCP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O BGC PARTNERS, INC., 499
 PARK AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 President

(Street)
 NEW YORK, NY 10022

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	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 Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
BGC Holdings Exchangeable Limited Partnership Interests	<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2018	A	<u>(1)</u>	750,308	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>				Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	750,308

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lynn Shaun D C/O BGC PARTNERS, INC. 499 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022			President	

Signatures

/s/ Shaun D.
Lynn

01/03/2019

**Signature of
Reporting Person Date

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).

On December 31, 2018, BGC Partners, Inc. (the "Company") granted the reporting person 750,308 exchange rights with respect to 750,308 non-exchangeable limited partnership interests of BGC Holdings, L.P. that were previously granted to the reporting person. The resulting 750,308 exchangeable limited partnership interests of BGC Holdings, L.P. are immediately exchangeable by the reporting person for an aggregate of 750,308 shares of Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company. This grant was partial compensation for services provided by the reporting person to the Company during 2018. The grant was approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company and is exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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