AUCOUTURIER BENOIT

Form 3

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October 18, 2002

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20549
INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES
Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section
17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company
Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the
Investment Company Act of 1940
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OMB Number:
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2005
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average burden
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response...0.5
(Print or Type Responses)
Name and Address of Reporting
Person*
Aucouturier, Benoit
2.
Date of Event
Requiring
Statement
(Month/Day/Year)
10/14/02
Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Paul-Son Gaming Corporation
PSON
(Last)
              (First)
(Middle)
c/o Compagnie d' Arbitrage
Financiere et Fonciere S.A.
("CAFF S.A.")
140 Boulevard Malesherbes
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75017 Paris, France
3.
I.R.S.
Identification
Number of
Reporting
Person, if an
entity
(voluntary)
Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)
_x_
Director
10% Owner
Officer (give
title below)
Other
(specify
below)
If Amendment,
Date of
Original
(Month/Day/Year)
(City) (State)
                       (Zip)
Individual or
Joint/Group
Filing (Check
Applicable Line)
_x_
Form filed
by One
Reporting
Person
Form filed
by More
than One
Reporting
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Person

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially
Owned
1.
Title of Security
(Instr. 4)
Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)
3.
Ownership Form: Direct
(D) or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)
4.
Nature of
Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)
Common Stock
336
Direct
Common Stock
213,794
Indirect
By CAFF S.A.
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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 Exer-
cisable and
Expiration
Date
(Month/Day/Year)
3.
Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)
4.
Conver-
sion or
Exercise
Price of
Deri-
vative
Security
5.
Owner-
ship
Form of
Deriv-
ative
Securities:
Direct
(D) or
Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)
6.
Nature of
Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)
Date
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Exer-

cisable
Expiration
Date
Title
Amount
or
Number
of
Shares

Warrants

(1)

(1)

Common Stock

26

\$.01

Direct

Warrants

(1)

(1)

Common Stock

16,973

\$.01

Indirect

By CAFF S.A.

Option 10/14//03(2) 10/14/13 Common Stock 6,000(2)

\$3.69

Direct

(right to buy)

⁽¹⁾ The Warrants were issued on September 12, 2002 pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Exchange dated

April 11, 2002 between the Issuer and Etablissements Bourgogne et Grasset SA ("B&G") as part of the consideration for the exchange of shares in B&G. The Warrants were intended to provide "antidilution" protection against options and similar rights granted by the Issuer prior to the closing of the exchange which are exercised after the closing and against securities issued to the Issuer's investment banker as a result of the closing. Thus, the Warrants are only exercisable if, as and when these options or rights are exercised or such securities issued. The Warrants will expire 30 days after the Issuer notifies the Warrant holder that the last of those options or rights have expired.

(2) The option was granted under the Issuer's 1994 Director's Stock Option Plan and vests over a three-year period, 2,000 shares per year.

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

Benoit Aucouturier

**Signature of Reporting Person
October , 2002
Date

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction $5\left(b\right)\left(v\right)$.

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