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

SCHEDULE 13D/A (Amendment No. 1)

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

GENERAL EMPLOYMENT ENTERPRISES, INC.

(Name of issuer)

Common Shares

(Title of class of securities)

36-9730106

(CUSIP number)

Craig M. White, Esq., 225 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606-1229

(Name, address and telephone number of person authorized to receive notices and communications)

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November 1, 1996

(Date of event which requires filing of this statement)

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CUSIP No. 36-9730106
1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS Marlene Chavin
2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) (b) //
3. SEC USE ONLY
4. SOURCE OF FUNDS* N/A
5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e) //
6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION U.S.A.
NUMBER OF 7. SOLE VOTING POWER SHARES 142,025 BENEFICIALLY
OWNED BY EACH 8. SHARED VOTING POWER REPORTING PERSON
WITH 9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 142,025
12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* //
13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) 5.4%
14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* IN
*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!
This report constitutes the first amendment to and corrects in part a report on Schedule 13D previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 7, 1993.

This statement relates to the Common Shares, no par value, of General Employment Enterprises, Inc., an Illinois corporation (the "Issuer"), with principal executive officers at One Tower Lane, Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois 60181.

ITEM 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND.

(a) (b) (c) The person filing this statement is Marlene Chavin. Marlene Chavin is an individual with a residence address of 9455 N. Collins Avenue, Unit 809, Surfside, Florida 33154. Marlene Chavin does not at this time have a full-time occupation.

(d) During the last five years, Marlene Chavin has not been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).

(e) During the last five years Marlene Chavin has not been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction, as a result of which she was subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding violation with respect to such laws.

(f) Marlene Chavin is a United States citizen.

ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION.

This report corrects and replaces the October 7, 1993 response to Item 3 regarding Marlene Chavin's original acquisition of the Common Shares. The October 7, 1993 response to Item 3 stated in part that "[t]he Common Shares covered by this report were transferred to Marlene Chavin by her husband, Leonard Chavin, pursuant to a post-nuptial agreement on August 9, 1993." The 159,000 Common Shares acquired by Marlene Chavin were transferred to her by Leonard Chavin in anticipation of the execution of a Property Settlement. This Property Settlement was executed by Marlene Chavin and Leonard Chavin on September 22, 1993 and was incorporated into a Divorce Decree dated September 27, 1993. Of these shares, 125,000 shares had been previously owned jointly with Leonard Chavin and had been purchased in a margin account maintained by them with a combination of personal funds and margin credit, collateralized by other marginal securities in such account.

This report covers Marlene Chavin's ownership of 142,025 Common Shares. The number of Common Shares covered by this report reflects Marlene Chavin's receipts of 15% share dividends on November 3, 1994 (23,850 Common Shares), November 16, 1995 (26,377 Common Shares) and November 1, 1996 (18,525 Common Shares), as well as the sale by her of an aggregate of 7,000 Common Shares at various times in 1995 and an aggregate of 78,727 Common Shares at various times in 1996.

ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION.

Marlene Chavin presently intends to hold the Common Shares of the Issuer for investment purposes. She has no other plans or proposals which would be required to be reported in response to Item 4 of Schedule 13D.

ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

(a) (b) Marlene Chavin has the sole power to vote and dispose of and is the beneficial owner of the 142,025 Common Shares covered by this report.

(c) 18,525 Common Shares were acquired for no consideration by Marlene Chavin on November 1, 1996 pursuant to a 15% share dividend declared and paid by the Issuer.

(d) None.

(e) Not applicable.

ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT

TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

Of the 142,025 Common Shares covered by this report, 84,000 are subject to a security interest of First Commercial Bank, Chicago, Illinois, securing a loan to Marlene Chavin. In addition, the Common Shares covered by this report are subject to a Settlement Agreement and First Amendment between Leonard Chavin and the Issuer each dated as of September 27, 1991, and an Agreement dated as of October 1, 1993 pursuant to which Marlene Chavin agreed to be bound by the terms of the Settlement Agreement.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS.

The Settlement Agreement and First Amendment each dated as of September 27, 1991, and the Agreement dated as of October 1, 1993 as referred to in Item 6 above have previously been filed.

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: December 20, 1996

/s/ Marlene Chavin

Marlene Chavin