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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 1)*

Golden Minerals Company

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

381119106

(CUSIP Number)

May 21, 2009

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- x Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

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CUSIP No. 381119106

- 1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Polygon Global Opportunities Master Fund
- 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

- (b) c
- 3. SEC Use Only
- 4. Citizenship or Place of Organization Cayman Islands, British West Indies

5. Sole Voting Power Number of Shares 6. Shared Voting Power Beneficially 207,009 (See Item 4(a)) Owned by Each 7. Sole Dispositive Power Reporting Person With 8. Shared Dispositive Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))

- Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 207,009
- 10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
- 11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 6.4%
- 12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

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- 1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Polygon Investments Ltd.
- 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

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- 3. SEC Use Only
- 4. Citizenship or Place of Organization Cayman Islands, British West Indies
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Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) 1. Polygon Investment Management Limited 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (b) 3. SEC Use Only 4. Citizenship or Place of Organization United Kingdom 5. Sole Voting Power Number of Shares 6. Shared Voting Power Beneficially 207,009 (See Item 4(a)) Owned by Each 7. Sole Dispositive Power Reporting Person With 8. Shared Dispositive Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a)) 9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 207,009 10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o 11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)

Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

CUSIP No. 381119106

1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Polygon Investment Partners LLP		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	a Member of a Group (See x o	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz United Kingdom	zation	
Number of	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficiall	y Owned by Each Reporting	ng Person

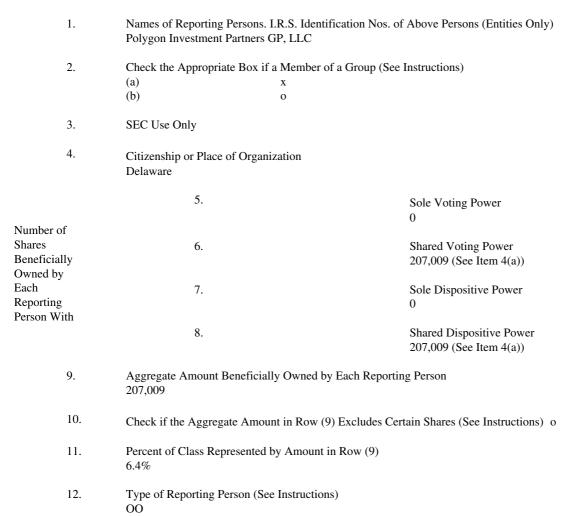
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Polygon Investment Partners LP		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	a Member of a Group (See x o	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz Delaware	zation	
Number of	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	6.		Shared Voting Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
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9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 207,009		
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (See PN	Instructions)	

1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Polygon Investment Partners HK Limited		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	Member of a Group (See l x o	instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz Hong Kong	ation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially	6.		Shared Voting Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
Owned by Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 207,009		
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) OO		

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Reade E. Griffith		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	a Member of a Group (See x	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz United States	zation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	6.		Shared Voting Power 207,009 (See Item 4(a))
	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
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9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 207,009		
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN		

1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons (Entities Only) Patrick G. G. Dear		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
	(a)	X	
	(b)	0	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of United Kingdom	Organization	
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of			
Shares	6.		Shared Voting Power
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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer: Golden Minerals Company (Golden Minerals). Item 1(b). Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices: Walker House, Mary Street, George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office Item 2(c). Citizenship This Schedule 13G is filed on behalf of Polygon Global Opportunities Master Fund, Polygon Investments Ltd., Polygon Investment Management Limited, Polygon Investment Partners LLP, Polygon Investment Partners LP, Polygon Investment Partners HK Limited, Polygon Investment Partners GP, LLC, Mr. Reade E. Griffith and Mr. Patrick G. G. Dear (the Reporting Persons). Polygon Global Opportunities Master Fund (the Master Fund) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LLP 4 Sloane Terrace London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies Polygon Investments Ltd. (the Investment Manager) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LLP 4 Sloane Terrace London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies Polygon Investment Management Limited (PIML) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LLP

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London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: United Kingdom Polygon Investment Partners LLP (the UK Investment Manager) 4 Sloane Terrace London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: United Kingdom Polygon Investment Partners LP (the US Investment Manager) 399 Park Avenue 22nd Floor New York, NY 10022 Citizenship: Delaware Polygon Investment Partners HK Limited (the HK Investment Manager) Unit 1501-1502,15/F Cheung Kong Center 2 Queen s Road Central

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Hong Kong

Citizenship: Hong Kong

Polygon Investment Partners GP, LLC (the General Partner) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LP 399 Park Avenue 22nd Floor New York, NY 10022 Citizenship: Delaware Reade E. Griffith (Mr. Griffith) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LLP 4 Sloane Terrace London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: United States Patrick G. G. Dear (Mr. Dear) c/o Polygon Investment Partners LLP 4 Sloane Terrace London SW1X 9DQ United Kingdom Citizenship: United Kingdom Title of Class of Securities: Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Golden Minerals (Common Stock). Golden Common Stock has the following CUSIP number: 381119106. Not Applicable. Amount beneficially owned: As of May 21, 2009, each Reporting Person may be deemed to be beneficial owner of 207,009 shares of Common Stock (the Shares). Percent of class: Number of shares as to which Reporting Persons have:

Item 2(d).

Item 2(e).

Item 3.

Item 4(a).

Item 4(b).

Item 4(c).

(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote:

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(ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote:

207,009

(iii) Sole power to dispose of or to direct the disposition of:

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207,009

All of the Shares are directly held by the Master Fund. The Investment Manager, PIML, the UK Investment Manager, the US Investment Manager, the HK Investment Manager and the General Partner have voting and dispository control over securities owned by the Master Fund. Messrs. Griffith and Dear control the Investment Manager, PIML, the UK Investment Manager, the US Investment Manager, the HK Investment Manager and the General Partner.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following o.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary which Acquired the Security Being

Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

See Exhibit 1.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of the Group.

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below each of the undersigned certifies that, to the best of such person s knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or

effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of their knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: May 22, 2009 POLYGON GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES MASTER FUND

By Polygon Investment Partners LLP, its investment manager

By /s/ Patrick G. G. Dear

Name: Patrick G. G. Dear

Title: Principal

Date: May 22, 2009 POLYGON INVESTMENTS LTD.

By /s/ Patrick G. G. Dear

Name: Patrick G. G. Dear

Title: Principal

Date: May 22, 2009 POLYGON INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LIMITED

By /s/ Patrick G. G. Dear

Name: Patrick G. G. Dear

Title: Principal

Date: May 22, 2009 POLYGON INVESTMENT PARTNERS LLP

By /s/ Patrick G. G. Dear

Name: Patrick G. G. Dear

Title: Principal

Date: May 22, 2009 POLYGON INVESTMENT PARTNERS LP

By /s/ Patrick G. G. Dear

Name: Patrick G. G. Dear

Title: Principal

Date: May 22, 2009	POLYGON INVESTMENT PARTNERS HK LIMITED	
	Ву	/s/ Patrick G. G. Dear Name: Patrick G. G. Dear Title: Principal
Date: May 22, 2009	POLYGON INVESTMENT PARTNERS GP, LLC	
	Ву	/s/ Patrick G. G. Dear Name: Patrick G. G. Dear Title: Principal
Date: May 22, 2009		/s/ Reade E. Griffith Reade E. Griffith
Date: May 22, 2009		/s/ Patrick G. G. Dear Patrick G. G. Dear
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Exhibit Index

Exhibit 1 Identification of Members of the Group.

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