

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES
Form SC 13D/A
March 25, 2010

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549
SCHEDULE 13D**

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**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. 8)***

Exide Technologies

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

302051206

(CUSIP Number)

Jeffrey L. Gendell

55 Railroad Avenue

Greenwich, Connecticut 06830

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

March 16, 2010

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 302051206

1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)
Tontine Capital Partners, L.P.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power
-0-
8. Shared Voting Power
8,525,327
9. Sole Dispositive Power
-0-
10. Shared Dispositive Power
8,525,327
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person:
8,525,327
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
11.3%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
PN

Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With

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1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)
Tontine Capital Management, L.L.C.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power
-0-
8. Shared Voting Power
9,467,604
9. Sole Dispositive Power
-0-
10. Shared Dispositive Power
9,467,604
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
9,467,604
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
12.5%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
OO

Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With

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1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)
Tontine Capital Overseas Master Fund, L.P.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Cayman Islands
7. Sole Voting Power
-0-
8. Shared Voting Power
1,807,905
9. Sole Dispositive Power
-0-
10. Shared Dispositive Power
1,807,905
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
1,807,905
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
2.4%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
IA, PN

Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With

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Tontine Capital Overseas GP, L.L.C.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power
-0-
8. Shared Voting Power
1,807,905
9. Sole Dispositive Power
-0-
10. Shared Dispositive Power
1,807,905
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
1,807,905
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
2.4%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
OO

Number of
Shares
Beneficially
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Person With

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1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)
Tontine Partners, L.P.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
- | | | |
|---|-----|---------------------------------------|
| Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With | 7. | Sole Voting Power
-0- |
| | 8. | Shared Voting Power
6,177,215 |
| | 9. | Sole Dispositive Power
-0- |
| | 10. | Shared Dispositive Power
6,177,215 |
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person:
6,177,215
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
8.2%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
PN

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(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power
-0-
8. Shared Voting Power
6,177,215
9. Sole Dispositive Power
-0-
10. Shared Dispositive Power
6,177,215
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person:
6,177,215
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
8.2%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
OO

Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With

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1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)
Tontine Overseas Associates, L.L.C.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) x
(b) o
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)
WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware
- | | | |
|---|-----|---------------------------------------|
| Number of
Shares
Beneficially
Owned by
Each
Reporting
Person With | 7. | Sole Voting Power
-0- |
| | 8. | Shared Voting Power
2,021,845 |
| | 9. | Sole Dispositive Power
-0- |
| | 10. | Shared Dispositive Power
2,021,845 |
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person:
2,021,845
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)
2.7%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
OO

