

ASSURANT INC
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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 *
Pagano Christopher J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ASSURANT, INC., ONE
CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA, 41
FL.

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ASSURANT INC [AIZ]

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

05/05/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) _X_ Other (specify below)
EVP & Treasurer / President & CIO, AAM

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/05/2008		M		500.48	A	\$ 33.13
Common Stock	05/05/2008		D		249.19	D	\$ 66.54
Common Stock	05/05/2008		F		84.94	D	\$ 66.54
Common Stock	05/05/2008		M		531.12	A	\$ 31.3
Common Stock	05/05/2008		D		249.84	D	\$ 66.54
							11,197.744
							10,948.554
							10,863.614
							11,394.734
							11,144.894

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Common Stock	05/05/2008	F	95.07	D	\$ 66.54	11,049.824	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	M	586.05	A	\$ 28.26	11,635.874	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	D	248.9	D	\$ 66.54	11,386.974	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	F	113.96	D	\$ 66.54	11,273.014	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	M	9,055	A	\$ 22	20,328.014	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	D	2,993.84	D	\$ 66.54	17,334.174	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	F	2,360.35	D	\$ 66.54	14,973.824	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	M	14,783	A	\$ 35.64	29,756.824	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	D	7,918.04	D	\$ 66.54	21,838.784	D
Common Stock	05/05/2008	F	3,006.85	D	\$ 66.54	18,831.934	D

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 (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 33.13	05/05/2008		M	500.48	12/31/2006	01/01/2014	Common Stock	500
Stock	\$ 31.3	05/05/2008		M	531.12	12/31/2006	01/01/2014	Common	531

Appreciation Right								Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 28.26	05/05/2008	M	586.05	12/31/2006	01/01/2014	Common Stock	586	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22	05/05/2008	M	9,055	12/31/2006	01/01/2014	Common Stock	9,055	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 35.64	05/05/2008	M	14,783	12/31/2007	06/30/2010	Common Stock	14,783	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Pagano Christopher J C/O ASSURANT, INC. ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA, 41 FL. NEW YORK, NY 10005			EVP & Treasurer	President & CIO, AAM

Signatures

Lisa Richter
Attorney-in-Fact

05/07/2008

__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).
- (1) Includes a total of 8,134 shares, net of tax withholding, (rounded to the nearest whole share) granted to Reporting Person pursuant to exercise of these SARs on this Form 2 of 2. 9,521 shares granted in total, pursuant to entire exercise.

Remarks:

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