#### TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.

Form 4

October 17, 2007

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ac LACHER JO	_	-	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC. [TRV]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) THE TRAVE INC., 385 W			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2007	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			
ST. PAUL, M	(Street) MN 55102		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zin)					

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
G			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/16/2007		M	124	A	\$ 42.69	60,585	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2007		F	111	D	\$ 52.3	60,474	D	
Common Stock							309.903	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock							47	I	By spouse

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)	Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (A	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 42.69	10/16/2007		M	1	24	03/22/2003	03/22/2012	Common Stock	124
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 52.3	10/16/2007		A	111		04/16/2008	03/22/2012	Common Stock	111

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LACHER JOSEPH P JR THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC. 385 WASHINGTON STREET ST. PAUL, MN 55102

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

Bruce A. Backberg, by power of attorney 10/17/2007

\*\*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).

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