

ASSURANT INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CAINS LARRY M

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE CHASE MANHATTAN
PLAZA, 41ST FLOOR
(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)
06/30/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP, Investor Relations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N S
				Code	V				
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 36.74	06/30/2005	A		251.81 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2009	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 21.56	06/30/2005	A		429.07 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2009	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 33.36	06/30/2005	A		359.72 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2010	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 26.82	06/30/2005	A		449.95 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2010	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 32.51	06/30/2005	A		589.94 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2011	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 30.11	06/30/2005	A		635.49 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2011	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 36.33	06/30/2005	A		526.41 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2011	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.88	06/30/2005	A		870.53 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2012	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 30.83	06/30/2005	A		644.77 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2012	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 48.08	06/30/2005	A		413.61 <u>(1)</u>	02/04/2005	01/01/2012	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 25.08	06/30/2005	A		827.36 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/2005	01/01/2013	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 33.45	06/30/2005	A		619.25 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/2005	01/01/2013	Common Stock	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 42.43	06/30/2005	A		487.51 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/2005	01/01/2013	Common Stock	

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) This award was granted in replacement of appreciation awards previously granted to the Reporting Person, which have been cancelled.

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