RADIAN GROUP INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Altman Richard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

RADIAN GROUP INC [RDN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

RADIAN GROUP, 1601 MARKET

(Street)

(State)

STREET

(City)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/07/2008

10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

(Check all applicable)

Exec Vice President, CTO

(Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	ecution Date, if Transaction		` ′		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 3)				Disposed (Instr. 3,	,	1	Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/07/2008		A	4,500 (1)	A	\$0	4,500	D	
common stock							2,783	I	401K stock fund

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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 2.48	08/07/2008	A	13,200 (3)	08/07/2011	08/07/2015	Common stock	13,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Altman Richard RADIAN GROUP 1601 MARKET STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Exec Vice President, CTO

Signatures

Lawrence 08/11/2008 DelGatto /s/

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Restricted stock award. Vesting is 50% at the end of year 3 and 50% at the ned of year 4
- (2) N/A
- (3) Vesting is 50% at the end of year 3 and 50% at the ned of year 4

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