WELLPOINT 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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Goulet Kenneth R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

120 MONUMENT CIRCLE

(Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2007

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

below) Pres & CEO Comm and EVP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

below)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(City) (State)

> 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

(Instr. 3 and 4) 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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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (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) | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|---------|----|--|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 78.06 | 11/01/2007 | | M | | 6,000 | | <u>(1)</u> | 11/01/2017 | Common Stock | 6,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Goulet Kenneth R

120 MONUMENT CIRCLE Pres & CEO Comm and EVP

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

Signatures

Nancy Purcell,

Attorney-in-fact 11/05/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- ** 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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