**ASSURANT INC** Form 4 March 03, 2005

# FORM 4

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

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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 \* **CLAYTON J KERRY** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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(First) (Middle) ASSURANT INC [AIZ] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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ONE CHASE MANHATTAN

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2005

\_X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title below)

PLAZA, 41ST FLOOR

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

President, CEO, Director

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities on Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)  Amount	d of (I	))	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/02/2005		M	361,395	A	\$ 22	409,039.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		D	361,395	D	\$ 34.97	47,644.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		P	1,200	A	\$ 34.77	48,844.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		P	500	A	\$ 34.79	49,344.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		P	1,400	A	\$ 34.81	50,744.485	D	

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Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	2,300	A	\$ 34.83	53,044.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	1,900	A	\$ 34.85	54,944.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	2,600	A	\$ 34.86	57,544.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	1,400	A	\$ 34.87	58,944.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	5,300	A	\$ 34.88	64,244.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	1,900	A	\$ 34.89	66,144.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	600	A	\$ 34.9	66,744.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	2,900	A	\$ 34.91	69,644.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	4,400	A	\$ 34.94	74,044.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	700	A	\$ 34.97	74,744.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	4,500	A	\$ 34.99	79,244.485	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005	P	1,400	A	\$ 35	80,644.485	D	
Common Stock						16,204.88	I	By 401 (k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities Acquired 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title

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Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22	03/02/2005	M	65,168.18	02/04/2005	01/01/2009	Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22	03/02/2005	M	148,033.64	02/04/2005	01/01/2010	Common Stock
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22	03/02/2005	M	148,193.18	02/04/2005	01/01/2011	Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

X

CLAYTON J KERRY ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10005

President, CEO, Director

# **Signatures**

Lisa Richter
Attorney-in-Fact
03/03/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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