

ASSURANT INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**POLLOCK ROBERT B**

(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)  
**04/01/2006**

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)  
President, CEO, Director

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 04/01/2006                           |  | A                              |   | 6,497   | A  | \$ 0                              |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 32,825.751 <sup>(1)</sup><br><sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 10,290.41 <sup>(3)</sup>  | 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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**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) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |              |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date                                   | Title        |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 49.25   | 04/01/2006                           |  | A                              | 109,894.49  | 12/31/2008   | 04/01/2011  | Common Stock |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| POLLOCK ROBERT B<br>ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA<br>41ST FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10005 | X             |           | President, CEO, Director |       |

## Signatures

Lisa Richter  
Attorney-in-Fact  
04/04/2006

\*\*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).
- (1) Includes 184,111 shares acquired under the Assurant, Inc. Amended and Restated 2004 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on December 31, 2005.
- (2) Includes 200 shares transferred from the Barbara Pollock Irrevocable Trust on December 13, 2005.
- (3) Between May 26, 2004 and December 31, 2005, the reporting person acquired 10,290.41 shares of Assurant, Inc. common stock under the Assurant, Inc. 401 (k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of December 31, 2005.

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