

TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.

Form 4

May 15, 2007

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BESSETTE ANDY F

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.
[TRV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES,
INC., 385 WASHINGTON STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/14/2007

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP and Chief Admin Officer

(Street)
ST. PAUL, MN 55102

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/14/2007		M	V Amount (A) or (D) Price 713 A \$ 45.59	33,332	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007		F	622 D \$ 56.26	32,710	D	
Common Stock					1,094.71 ⁽¹⁾	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock					22 ⁽²⁾	I	By Son

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 45.59	05/14/2007		M	713	05/09/2007 02/04/2013	Common Stock	713
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 56.26	05/14/2007		A	622	05/14/2008 02/04/2013	Common Stock	622

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
BESSETTE ANDY F THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC. 385 WASHINGTON STREET ST. PAUL, MN 55102	Director 10% Owner Officer Other EVP and Chief Admin Officer

Signatures

Bruce A. Backberg, by power of attorney 05/15/2007

**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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- (1) Includes common shares and shares of common stock that may be acquired upon the conversion of shares of Series B Preferred Stock, each of which is convertible into 8 shares of common stock.
- (2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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