HANOVER INSURANCE GROUP, INC.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Welzenbach Mark Joseph			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HANOVER INSURANCE GROUP, INC. [THG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 440 LINCOLN	(First) (Middle) COLN STREET, S-316		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2015	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President			
	(Street)		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			
WORCESTER	, MA 01653	3		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	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. Securi oror Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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	05/05/2015		S	3,606	D	\$ 70.3539	21,461	D	
Common Stock	05/06/2015		M	5,000	A	\$ 42.49	26,461	D	
Common Stock	05/06/2015		S	5,000	D	\$ 69.8952 (2)	21,461	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.49	05/06/2015		M	5,000	(3)	02/26/2023	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Welzenbach Mark Joseph 440 LINCOLN STREET S-316 WORCESTER, MA 01653

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Matthew R. Frascella pursuant to Confirming
Statement

05/07/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple prices ranging from \$70.28 to \$70.47, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide The Hanover Insurance Group, Inc. ("THG"), any security holder of THG, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple prices ranging from \$69.89 to \$69.933, (2) inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide THG, any security holder of THG, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above.

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(3) The option, representing the right to purchase a total of 15,000 shares, vested 33.33% on each of 2/26/2014 and 2/26/2015, and the remaining portion will vest on 2/26/2016.

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