ASSURANT INC Form 4 July 05, 2005

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Yakre Miles Brian

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ASSURANT INC [AIZ]

(First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2005

C/O ASSURANT, INC., ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLZA. 41F.

(Street)

(State)

06/30/2005

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

A

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify

below) SVP / Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

2,173

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(City)

Stock

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common

673

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\$0

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)

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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 out of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 35.64	06/30/2005		A	9,354	12/31/2008	06/30/2010	Common Stock	9,354

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Yakre Miles Brian C/O ASSURANT, INC. ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLZA. 41F. NEW YORK, NY 10005

SVP Treasurer

Signatures

Cheryl A. Brodley Attorney-in-Fact

07/05/2005 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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