Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.

Form 4

August 16, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Ungar Stephen**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[AFSI]

08/15/2016

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SVP, GC and Secretary

C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., 59 MAIDEN

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

LANE, 43RD FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Table I. Non-Darivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10038

(City)

	` '	` ' Iao	ie i - Non-	Derivative	Secu	riues Acqui	rea, Disposea oi,	or Benefician	y 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. Securi omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of	` '	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	¹ 08/15/2016		Code V M	Amount 5,000	(D)	Price \$ 6.2066	,	D	
Common Stock (1)	08/15/2016		S	5,000	D	\$ 25.9269 (2)	164,518	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Derivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Acquired					
	Derivative			(A) or					
	Security			Disposed of					
				(D)					
				(Instr. 3, 4,					
				and 5)					
									Amount
									or
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number
						Exercisable	Date		of
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares
Stock Option	\$ 6.2066	08/15/2016		M	5,000	02/15/2009	02/15/2018	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ungar Stephen C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. 59 MAIDEN LANE, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10038

SVP, GC and Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Stephen Ungar 08/15/2016

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 16, 2016.
- The price included in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$25.80 to \$26.00 per share, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to AmTrust Financial Services, Inc. or any of its security holders, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 2.

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