Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

DeCarlo Donald T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.

[AFSI]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL

(First)

SERVICES, INC., 59 MAIDEN LANE, 43RD FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

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

NEW YORK, NY 10038

(City) (State) (Zip)

12/01/2016

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of

25.7497

(2)

Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Price

(A)

Code V Amount (D) \$

S 3,420 D (Instr. 3 and 4)

120,944

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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Namel		
									Number		
				C-1- V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

DeCarlo Donald T C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. 59 MAIDEN LANE, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10038



Signatures

/s/ Donald T. 12/02/2016 DeCarlo

**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).
- The transaction reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 9, 2016.

The price included in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$25.66 to \$25.91 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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