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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [RGA] Manning Anna (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O REINSURANCE GROUP (Check all applicable) OF AMERICA, INC., 1370 TIMBERLAKE MANOR 10% Owner Director **PARKWAY** _X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group **EVP** Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person CHESTERFIELD, Â MOÂ 63017 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 2,913 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Title and Amount of Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 4. 5. 6. Nature of Conversion Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Stock Appreciation Right (right to purchase) 2011	(1)	02/22/2021	Common Stock	8,326	\$ 59.74	D	Â
Stock Option (right to purchase) 2007	12/31/2008(2)	02/20/2017	Common Stock	1,181	\$ 59.63	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Right (right to purchase) 2012	(1)	02/28/2022	Common Stock	10,563	\$ 56.65	D	Â
Stock Option (right to purchase) 2008	12/31/2009(2)	02/20/2018	Common Stock	1,705	\$ 56.03	D	Â
Stock Option (right to purchase) 2009	12/31/2010(2)	02/18/2019	Common Stock	7,056	\$ 32.2	D	Â
Stock Option (right to purchase) 2010	12/31/2011(2)	02/19/2020	Common Stock	6,336	\$ 47.1	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
Reporting Owner Function	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Manning Anna						
C/O REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA, INC.	â	â	Â EVP	â		
1370 TIMBERLAKE MANOR PARKWAY	А	A	EVP	A		
CHESTERFIELD. MO 63017						

Signatures

/s/ William L. Hutton, as Attorney-in-Fact for Anna
Manning
02/29/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) SARS grants vest in four equal annual installments of 25%, on December 31 of the first four years after grant date.
- Options vest and become exercisable in four equal annual installments of 25%, on December 31 of the second, third, fourth and fifth years after grant date.

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Remarks:

Attached Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney for Anna Manning

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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