ASSURANT INC Form 4 June 09, 2005

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

PALMS JOHN MICHAEL Symbol			ol				Issuer			
		ASSUR	ASSURANT INC [AIZ]					(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (M	fiddle) 3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction						
		(Month/D	(Month/Day/Year)						% Owner	
ONE CHAS	SE MANHATTAI ST FLOOR	N 06/03/20	06/03/2005					ve title Oth below)	er (specify	
1 L1 L1, +1	(Street)	4. If Ame	ndment, Dat	te Original			6. Individual or	Joint/Group Fili	ng(Check	
	, ,		Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW YORI	K, NY 10005							More than One Ro		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or				Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	*		sed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
					(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 4)			
Common Stock	06/03/2005		A	710	A	\$0	14,004	D		

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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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PALMS JOHN MICHAEL

ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA
41ST FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10005

Signatures

Lisa Richter Attorney-in-Fact 06/09/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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