

Braly Angela F  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Braly Angela F

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 120 MONUMENT CIRCLE  
 (Street)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/06/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                                      |   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/06/2008                           |  | A                              |   | 6,640 <sup>(1)</sup>  | A  | \$ 0 94,996.1984                           | D |
| Common Stock                    | 02/06/2008                           |  | A                              |   | 8,300 <sup>(2)</sup>  | A  | \$ 0 103,296.1984                          | D |
| Common Stock                    | 02/06/2008                           |  | A                              |   | 19,367 <sup>(3)</sup>   | A  | \$ 0 122,663.1984                          | D |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 4,330.66 <sup>(4)</sup>                    | I |

Stock units held in 401(k) plan

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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 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 of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| Braly Angela F<br>120 MONUMENT CIRCLE<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 | X             |           | President & CEO |       |

## Signatures

Nancy Purcell,  
Attorney-in-fact

02/08/2008

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Represents restricted share units. Restrictions lapse as follows: 2,213 shares on March 1, 2008; 2,213 shares on March 1, 2009; and, 2,214 shares on March 1, 2010.
- (2) Represents restricted share units. Restrictions lapse as follows: 2,766 shares on March 1, 2008; 2,767 shares on March 1, 2009; and, 2,767 shares on March 1, 2010.
- (3) Represents restricted share units. Restrictions lapse as follows: 9,683 shares on March 1, 2009; and, 9,684 shares on March 1, 2010.
- (4) Between January 11 and January 25, the reporting person acquired units in the WLP stock fund in the WLP Qualified 401(k) Plan, which represent 125.91 shares of WLP common stock. The information in this report is based on the plan trustees calculation of units held, as of February 7, 2008.

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