

MGIC INVESTMENT CORP
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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 *
 LAUER JON MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MGIC INVESTMENT CORP
 [MTG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/23/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive VP & CFO

MGIC PLAZA, 250 EAST KILBOURN AVENUE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/23/2009		P	25,000 A \$ 1.9824	251,808	D	
Common Stock	01/23/2009		P	25,000 A \$ 2.0719	276,808	D	
Common Stock					53,182.271 (1)	I	By Issuer's Profit Sharing and Savings 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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 46.0625					(2) 05/05/2009		Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.375					(3) 01/26/2010		Common Stock	50,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 57.88					(2) 01/24/2011		Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.8					(2) 01/23/2012		Common Stock	40,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.7					(2) 01/22/2013		Common Stock	27,000
	\$ 68.2					(4) 01/28/2014			27,000

Employee
Stock
Option
(Right to
Buy)

Common
Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAUER JON MICHAEL MGIC PLAZA 250 EAST KILBOURN AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202			Executive VP & CFO	

Signatures

Dan D. Stilwell,
Attorney-in-fact

01/23/2009

__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) Balance as of December 31, 2008.
 - (2) All of these options are vested and exercisable in full.

Partial vesting of these options occurred on January 26 of each of the five years beginning in 2001, based on certain performance standards. Any portion of the option which did not vest at January 26, 2005 will become vested on January 26, 2009 based on the reporting person's continued service to the Issuer.
 - (3)
 - (4) One-fifth of these options vest on January 28 of each of the five years beginning in 2005.

Remarks:

This form is signed by the reporting person's attorney-in-fact pursuant to a previously filed power of attorney.

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