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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HEIMANN JOHN G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASSURED GUARANTY LTD [AGO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HAMILTON, D0 HM08				Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)	(State)	Table	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect			
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 a	and 5)		Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Common Shares	05/04/2005		A	25.5458	A	<u>(1)</u>	10,581.5458	D				
Common Shares	05/05/2005		A	4,666	A	<u>(2)</u>	15,247.5458	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C + V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HEIMANN JOHN G 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE X HAMILTON, D0 HM08

Signatures

By: James M. Michener Attorney-in-fact

05/06/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- 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).
- Represents accrual of dividend equivalents on restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd. 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan upon vesting with respect to dividends declared on Common Shares prior to vesting.
- Restricted stock units awarded to non-management directors as an annual retainer equity award pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd. (2) 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan, which become non-forfeitable on the day immediately prior to the 2006 annual shareholders meeting with the issuance of the Common Shares deferred until six months after such director leaves the board.

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