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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* LAY JACK B ———————————————————————————————————					<u>R</u> 1	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [RGA]							(Cr	eck all app Dired	tor er (give title	ig Pers	son(s) to Issi 10% Ow Other (s	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1370 TIMBERLAKE MANOR PARKWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2011								belo	Senior EVP 8		below)	
(Street) CHESTERFIELD MO 63017 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Deriv 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					action	ion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		quired, Disposed of 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed Of			of, or Beneficially as Acquired (A) or of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Am Secur Benef	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		n: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				"	(Monunbay/rear)		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				04/28	04/28/2011				M		12,150	A	\$39.6	1 5	7,470	D		
Common Stock				04/28	04/28/2011				M		27,025	A	\$27.2	9 8	4,495	495		
Common Stock (04/28	04/28/2011				S		49,175	D	\$62.59	36 3	5,320		D		
		-	Table II								posed of, converti			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date,	4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo		ite	7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$39.61	04/28/2011			M			12,150	12/31/2	008	01/28/2014	Common Stock	12,150	\$0	0		D	
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$27.29	04/28/2011			M			27,025	01/01/2	008	01/29/2013	Common Stock	27,025	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

William Hutton, by power of

05/02/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

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