FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHUSTER PAUL A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [RGA]								eck all appl Directo	icable)	ng Pe	rson(s) to Is 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1370 TIMBERLAKE MANOR PARKWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2012									below	below) Sr EVP, Global		below) Grp/Healt	h	
(Street) CHESTERFIELD MO 63017 (City) (State) (Zip)						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficence.								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,					d Of (D) (Ir		Securit Benefic Owned Follow	es Fo ially (D) Ind		n: Direct or I	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(iiist	11. 4)	11150. 4)			
	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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) S. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Sec Und Der			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	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 Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Appreciation Right (right to purchase) 2012	\$56.65	02/28/2012			A		15,775		(1)	(02/28/2022	Common Stock	15,775	\$56.65	15,773	5	D		

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\ SARS\ grants\ on\ February\ 28,\ 2012\ vest\ in\ 25\%\ increments\ on\ each\ of\ December\ 31,\ 2012,\ 2013,\ 2014\ and\ 2015.$

William Hutton, by power of attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/28/2012

Date

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

- * 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).

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