FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PORTER JONATHAN (Last) (First) (Middle) 16600 SWINGLEY RIDGE RD						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [RGA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2019								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Global Chief Risk Officer				
(Street) CHESTERFIELD MO 63017 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transac Code (Ir 8)	tion	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) Amount (A) or (D) Pr			5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (1 8)		on of		6. Date Exerciss Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares					
Stock Appreciation Right (right to purchase) 2019	\$145.25	03/01/2019			A		2,264		(1)	(03/01/2029	Common Stock	2,264	\$145.25	2,264	4	D	

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ SARs \ grants \ on \ March \ 1, \ 2019 \ vest \ in \ 25\% \ increments \ on \ each \ of \ December \ 31, \ 2019, \ 2020, \ 2021 \ and \ 2022.$

William L. Hutton

03/04/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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