FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HENDERSON ALAN C					RE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [RGA]									ck all app Direc	tionship of Reporti all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% (Owner	
(Last) 1370 TIN	(Last) (First) (Middle) 1370 TIMBERLAKE MANOR PARKWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2009									belov				Other (specify below)	
(Street) CHESTERFIELD MO 63017 (City) (State) (Zip)					= 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable b) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	cially	y Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Dat			3. Transa Code (8)	action Disposed C		es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	9	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(111311. 4)	
Common	Stock														6,	5,996 D				
Common Stock 02/1				02/10/	2009				P		3,000	A	\$33	3.75	3,000			I	By Bess L. Henderson Trust	
	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. Dee Executii if any (Month/		Date, Transa Code		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		t		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

William Hutton, by power of <u>attorney</u>

02/11/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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