Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     WATSON GRAHAM S					RI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REINSURANCE GROUP OF AMERICA INC [ RGA ]								(Ched	k all applic	able)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	/ner
(Last) 1370 TIN	`	irst) E MANOR PAR	(Middle) RKWAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2008								X	below)	Senior	Exec	below)	
(Street) CHESTE	CHESTERFIELD MO 63017				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(5		(Zip) ole I - Non-	-Deriv	rative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D			action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transacti Code (Ins	ion str.	4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)		ed (A) o tr. 3, 4	or and	5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect 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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, irity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			B. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
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Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$56.03	02/20/2008			M		15,030		(1)	02	2/20/2018	Common Stock	15,0	30	\$0	15,030	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Option grants on February 20, 2008 vest in 25% increments on each of February 20, 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013.

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

02/22/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

**OWNERSHIP** 

Date

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

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