

SAFETY INSURANCE GROUP INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Murphy George

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SAFETY INSURANCE GROUP INC [SAFT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 20 CUSTOM HOUSE STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/23/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP - Marketing

BOSTON, MA 02110
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------|---|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | |
| Common Stock | 02/23/2016 | | A | | 6,421 | A | \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 50,256 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/23/2016 | | A | | 7,246 | A | \$ 0 ⁽²⁾ | 57,502 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/23/2016 | | J | | 2,613 | D | \$ 0 ⁽³⁾ | 54,889 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2016 | | F | | 1,677 ⁽⁴⁾ | D | \$ 56.1135 ⁽⁵⁾ | 53,212 | D |

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

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Murphy George 20 CUSTOM HOUSE STREET BOSTON, MA 02110 | | | VP - Marketing | |

Signatures

/s/George M. Murphy 02/25/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
 - (1) Represents restricted stock awards effective February 23, 2016, with respect to which sale or transfer rights shall vest over three years with installments of 30% on February 23, 2017, 30% on February 23, 2018, and the remaining 40% on February 23, 2019, provided the grantee meets certain employment conditions.
 - (2) Represents restricted stock awards granted effective February 23, 2015 with respect to which sale or transfer rights will vest over a three-year performance period commencing on January 1, 2016 and ending on December 31, 2018. Vesting of these shares is dependent upon the attainment of pre-established performance objectives, and any difference between shares granted and shares earned at the end of the performance period will be reported at the conclusion of the performance period in 2019.
 - (3) Represents the difference between performance shares, with a three year performance period, that were granted on March 11, 2013 and actual shares earned at the end of the performance period on December 31, 2015. Final shares were approved by the Compensation

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Committee on February 23, 2016.

- (4) Represents securities delivered in payment of a tax liability with respect to vesting of securities issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.

Represents the weighted average sale price of multiple open market same day sales with prices ranging from \$55.97 to \$56.6125 per

- (5) share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission or a security holder of the issuer upon request.

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