Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person * D'Orazio Frank			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Allied World Assurance Co	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Holdings, AG [AWH]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO. HOLDINGS AG, LINDENSTRASSE 8		URANCE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2014	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Pres. Bda & Int'l Ins., AWAC			
AG, LINDE	NSTKASSE	2.8					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6340			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	canired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			(D)	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)	
Common Shares	02/22/2014		M	780	A	\$ 0 (1)	64,903	D		
Common Shares	02/22/2014		M	352	A	\$ 0 (2)	65,255	D		
Common Shares	02/22/2014		M	875	A	\$ 0 (3)	66,130	D		
Common Shares	02/22/2014		D	1,150	D	\$ 99.8969 (4)	64,980	D		

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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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	tionof Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2014		M		780 (1)	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Shares	780 <u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2014		M		352 (2)	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Shares	352 (2)	(2)
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/22/2014		M		875 (3)	<u>(8)</u>	(8)	Common Shares	875 <u>(3)</u>	(3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

D'Orazio Frank ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO. HOLDINGS AG LINDENSTRASSE 8 BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6340

Pres. Bda & Int'l Ins., AWAC

Signatures

/s/ Wayne H. Datz, by Power of Attorney 02/25/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- On February 22, 2012, the reporting person was granted 3,120 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (1) Stock Units convert into (i) 624 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 2,496 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) of such Restricted Stock Units.
- On February 22, 2011, the reporting person was granted 1,410 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (2) Stock Units convert into (i) 705 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 705 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) upon the vesting of such Restricted Stock Units.
- On February 22, 2010, the reporting person was granted 3,500 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (3) Stock Units convert into (i) 2,100 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 1,400 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) upon the vesting of such Restricted Stock Units.
- (4) The fair market value of the cash portion was determined using the daily volume-weighted average sales price of the common shares for the five consecutive trading days prior to February 22, 2014, which was on a Saturday.
- (5) The Restricted Stock Units vest in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2013.
- (6) Represents all Restricted Stock Units held by the reporting person that vest in whole or in part in cash.
- (7) The Restricted Stock Units vest in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2012.
- (8) The Restricted Stock Units vested in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2011.

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