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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

BORGES FRANCISCO L			Symbol ASSURED GUARANTY LTD [AGO]					Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 10 MILL I	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2017			_	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
	(Street)			nendment onth/Day/		Date Original ar)		A -	. Individual or Joint applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One	Reporting Pers	on	
SIMSBURY, CT 06070									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - No	n-	Derivative Sec	urities	Acqui	red, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	3)	4. Securities A pror Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and	(D)	d (A)	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	01/06/2017			M		6,984.6702	A	<u>(1)</u>	210,646.6702 (2)	D		
Common Shares	01/06/2017			D		3,493.6699	D	<u>(1)</u>	207,153 (2)	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)	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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security				(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Nun Shar
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/06/2017		M	6,984.6702	01/06/2017(3)	(3)	Common Shares	6,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BORGES FRANCISCO L							
10 MILL POND LANE	X						
SIMSBURY, CT 06070							

Signatures

By: Ling Chow, Attorney-in-fact 01/09/2017

**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).
- Restricted stock units ("RSUs"), each representing a right equivalent to one common share of the Company were settled on January 6,
- (1) 2017, with 50% payable in common shares and 50% payable in a cash amount equal to \$38.73 (which was the fair market value of one common share of the Company on the settlement date), with fractional RSU settlements reflected by rounding down the share settlement and rounding up the cash settlement.
- (2) Totals may not tally due to rounding.
- (3) Each RSU is vested. The RSUs settled January 6, 2017.
- (4) Total excludes derivative securities of other types and other tranches, different vesting terms, performance periods and conditions, exercise prices and expiration dates, as applicable.

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