GALLAGHER J PATRICK JR

Form 4

February 12, 2010

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Symbol

[AJG]

(Middle)

OMB Number:

3235-0287

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10% Owner

_ Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

_X__ Director

_X__ Officer (give title _

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations

Check this box

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

GALLAGHER J PATRICK JR

		J. GALLAGHER PIERCE PLACE	1=,10,	/2007				President & CEO			
				Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
	ITASCA,	IL 60143-3141					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or		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 Stock							151,130	D		
	Common Stock							150,000	I	by Corporation	
	Common Stock	12/10/2007		G <u>(1)</u>	448	A	\$ 0	100,537	I	by Spouse	
	Common Stock	08/21/2009		G V	8,300	D	\$ 0	85,574	I	by Spouse	
	Common Stock	10/30/2009		G V	650	D	\$ 0	84,924	I	by Spouse	

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Common Stock	12/17/2009	G	V 550	A	\$ 0	85,474	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	08/21/2009	G	V 3,200	A	\$ 0	180,250	I	by Trust (3)
Common Stock	02/10/2010	J <u>(4)</u>	1,733	A	\$ 22.7902	106,886	I	by Trust 2

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. conNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	Unde Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GALLAGHER J PATRICK JR ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO. TWO PIERCE PLACE ITASCA, IL 60143-3141	X		President & CEO				
Signatures							
/s/ Kerry S. Abbott For: J. Patrick Gallagher, Jr.		02/1	2/2010				

Reporting Owners 2

Date

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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) This transaction is reported late due to an inadvertent administrative error.
- (2) Shares held in revocable trust of which my spouse is sole Trustee and as to which I disclaim beneficial ownership.
- (3) Held in trust for benefit of minor children.
- (4) Dividend reinvestment pursuant to the Arthur J. Gallagher & Co. Deferred Equity Participation Plan.

Remarks:

The directly owned common stock holdings reflected in Table 1 of this form include shares purchased through Arthur J. Galla Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.