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<i>See</i> Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).											
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CLAYTON J KERRY Symbol				er Name and Ticker or Trading				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			-	ANT INC							
		ASSURANT INC [AIZ]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (M			of Earliest Transaction			_X_Director10% Owner				
				nth/Day/Year) )7/2004			_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify				
PLAZA, 41ST FLOOR			2/0//20	2001			below) below) President, CEO, Director				
				.mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State) (2	Zip)				~					
								uired, Disposed of		-	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)				5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct		
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution D any	Jale, II	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				Beneficially	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
, ,		(Month/Day	/Year)					Owned			
								Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Transaction(s)			
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	12/07/2004						\$	42 501	D		
Stock	12/07/2004			P <u>(1)</u>	500	А	29.65	43,591	D		
Common									_	By 401 (k)	
Stock								16,169.67	Ι	Plan	

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				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				
CLAYTON J KERRY ONE CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZ 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10005	ZA X		President, CEO, Director					
Signatures								
Lisa Richter 12 Attorney-in-Fact 12	2/07/2004							
**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) The purchase reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Purchase Plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 18, 2004.

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