#### PROASSURANCE CORP

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### FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TERSIGNI ANTHONY R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

PROASSURANCE CORP [PRA]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2014

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O PROASSURANCE CORPORATION, 100 **BROOKWOOD PLACE** 

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209

(State)

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquire	d 5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
		• •	,		Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
			~	or	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount (D) Price	e `		
Common	05/28/2014		A	1,250 A \$	5,717	D	
Stock	03/20/2014		А	(1) A 44.3	3,717	D	
Common	05/28/2014		A	60 <sup>(2)</sup> A \$	5,777	D	
Stock	03/20/2014		А	44.5	3,111	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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				Code V	(A) (D)				hares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TERSIGNI ANTHONY R C/O PROASSURANCE CORPORATION 100 BROOKWOOD PLACE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209



### **Signatures**

**(2)** 

Frank B. O'Neil with Power of Attorney for the Reporting Person

05/29/2014

\*\*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).

under Rule 16b-3. This grant was recommended by the Compensation Committee, which is composed entirely independent directors (as disclosed on page 17 of our 2014 Proxy Statement), and was approved by our Board of Directors at its meeting on **(1)** May 28, 2014. This year, the recommended and approved stock compensation grant was for shares having a value not to exceed \$56,000. The number of whole shares is determined using the closing price of a share of stock on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) on the day of the Board of Directors meeting following the Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The NYSE closing price on May 28, 2014 was \$44.80, resulting in a distribution to each non-management director of 1,250 shares.

Shares acquired from ProAssurance Corporation under its Director Deferred Stock Compensation Plan which are exempt under Rule 16b-3. The plan was amended in 2013 to provide that dividends accumulated on deferred stock will be invested in shares of our stock and paid solely in our shares of stock when the deferred stock is payable to the directors. Only whole shares are purchased and remaining cash remains in the non-management director's deferred account for future purchase. Any future purchases of this nature will be made yearly, on the date of the Annual Meeting of Shareholders, under the same terms and conditions set forth in this footnote.

These shares are awarded under the ProAssurance Corporation Director Deferred Stock Compensation Plan and are exempt

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