GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSON DAVID S

CO., TWO PIERCE PLACE

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO [AJG]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2016

Symbol

ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER &

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

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(City)

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactiomr Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
(msu. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Owned Following	Direct (D)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A) or		Reported Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr. 4)	,
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/09/2016		M	3,125	A	\$ 25.29	49,003	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2016		S	3,125	D	\$ 49.6936	45,878	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 25.29	08/09/2016		M	3,125	<u>(1)</u>	05/11/2017	Common Stock	3,125

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Toporting of the Filmo, Filmo	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSON DAVID S ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO. TWO PIERCE PLACE ITASCA, IL 60143	X					
Signaturos						

Signatures

/s/ April Hanes-Dowd, by power of attorney 08/10/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Date

(1) The stock option becomes exerciseable one year after the grant date.

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