FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     FRAIZER MICHAEL D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [ GNW ]							(Chec	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
I					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2009								Officer (g below) Chai			Other (s below) nt & CEO	pecify	
6620 WEST BROAD STREET					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(Street) RICHMOND	OND VA 23230												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				g Person	
(City)	(State	e) (2	Zip)															
		Т	able I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Securitie	s Ac	quired, C	ispo	osed of	f, or Bene	icially Ov	vned					
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/D		Execution if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		ities Acquired d Of (D) (Instr.		sind 5) Securities Beneficiall Following		Form	lirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	saction (Instr.	Derivativ Securitie Acquired Disposed	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 Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Stock Settled SARs	\$2.46	02/12/2009		A		400,000		(1)	02/	/12/2019	Class A Common Stock	400,000	\$0	400,00	00	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Vests annually in one-third increments beginning on 2/12/2010.

/s/ Richard J. Oelhafen, Jr., by power of attorney

02/17/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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