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*     Laming Michael S				G	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [ GNW ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Own			/ner	
I					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2011								Officer (g below)	ve title Other (spe below) P - Human Resources		pecify	
6620 WEST BROAD STREET				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						- 1	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(Street) RICHMOND VA 23230				_									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				g Person
(City)	(State	) (2	Zip)														
		Т	able I - Non	-Derivat	ive S	ecuritie	s Acc	quired, D	ispo	osed of	f, or Benef	cially Ov	ned				
Date				2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	n Date,	Transaction Dispos			urities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount Securities Beneficially Following I	ly Owned or In Reported (Inst		lirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and				(111501.4)
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 On Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)  3. Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Code (I		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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)		
Stock Settled SARs	\$12.75	02/09/2011		A		50,000		(1)	02	2/09/2021	Class A Common Stock	50,000	\$0	50,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The SARs vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 9, 2012. The vested and unexercised portion of the SARs, if any, shall be automatically exercised if the closing price of the issuer's common stock equals or exceeds a specified "maximum share value" equal to \$75.

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

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

02/11/2011

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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