FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MEAD CHRISTINE B  (Last) (First) (Middle)						Susuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [ GNW ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     09/28/2012							elationship of I eck all applicat Director Officer (g below)	le)	10% O		
C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC. 6620 WEST BROAD STREET (Street)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								X Form file	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	) VA (Stat		(Zip)	_													
		•	Table I - Non	-Derivat	tive S	Securitie	s Acc	quired, D	ispos	sed o	f, or Bene	ficially (	wned				
Date				2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,				. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Following Transactio	y Owned Reported (Instr		irect (I) 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	۷   <i>4</i>	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	(Instr. 3 ar	and 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	ercise (Month/Day/Year) of ative	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		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 A Securities U Derivative So 3 and 4)	nderlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficial Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		iration e	Title	Amount o Number o Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	09/28/2012		A		5,104.325		(1)		(1)	Class A Common Stock	5,104.32	5 (2)	38,080	.15	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Deferred Stock Units become payable in shares of Class A Common Stock beginning one year after termination of service as a director. The Reporting Person has previously elected to receive such amount in a single payment or in payments spread out for up to 10 years.
- 2. The number of Deferred Stock Units acquired represents a portion of the Reporting Person's annual retainer fee and was based on a price of \$5.5835 per share of Class A Common Stock.

/s/ Christine A. Ness, by power of attorney 10/02/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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