FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Add WHEELER (Last)	(First)	AS B (N		Susuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [ GNW ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     04/27/2006										tionship of R all applicabl Director Officer (gi below)	10% 0 ive title Other		(s) to Issuer 10% Ov Other (s below)		
C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC. 6620 WEST BROAD STREET					If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(Street) RICHMOND	VA	23	3230																
(City)	(State)	(Z	lip)																
		Ta	able I - Non	-Deriv	vative	e Se	curitie	es Acq	juired, D	isp	osed o	f, or Ber	nefic	ially Ow	ned				
Date							2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount Securities Beneficially Following F	/ Owned Reported	Form	lirect (I) . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(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 or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Co	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 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	e s illy	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Cod	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	i	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	011(5)		
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	04/27/2006			A		13		(1)		(1)	Class A Commo Stock	on	13	(2)	6,036	5	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Deferred Stock Units become payable in cash (based on the cash value of a share of Class A Common Stock) beginning one year after termination of service as a director. The Reporting Person may elect to receive such amount as a lump sum or in a payments spread out for up to 10 years.
- 2. Additional Deferred Stock Units acquired represent dividend equivalents of \$451.76 reinvested at \$33.46 per share of Class A Common Stock.

/s/ Richard J. Oelhafen, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact 05/01/2006

\*\* 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).
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