WELLPOINT INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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response...

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HILL JULIE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

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

120 MONUMENT CIRCLE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Code

(Month/Day/Year)

05/20/2009

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Disposed of (D)

or

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Following (A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pric
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriva
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Securi
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired			(Instr.

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	Derivative Security			(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units (1)	\$ 0 (2)	05/20/2009	A		5,372		<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	5,372	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HILL JULIE A 120 MONUMENT CIRCLE INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	X						

Signatures

Kathleen S. Kiefer,
Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) The phantom stock units were accrued under the WellPoint, Inc. ("Company") Board of Directors Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan").
- (2) The Conversion or Exercise Price of the Derivative Security is 1-for-1.
- The phantom stock units shall be payable in Company common stock upon the first to occur of (a) five years from the date of grant or (b) (3) the date the Reporting Person ceases to be a member of the Company's board of directors, unless a later date is designated in the Reporting Person's election made under the Plan in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Limited Power of Attorney

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