#### FREDERICO DOMINIC

Form 4

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### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FREDERICO DOMINIC	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASSURED GUARANTY LTD [AGO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/05/2013	_X Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President/CEO/Deputy Chairman			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HAMILTON, D0 HM08		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price		(Instr. 4)		
Common Shares	02/05/2013		F		12,619 (1)	D	\$ 17.75	1,005,955.4054 (2)	D		
Common Shares	02/05/2013		D		0.0998 (3)	D	\$ 17.75	1,005,955.3056 (2)	D		
Common Shares	12/18/2012		G	V	210,279 (4)	D	\$ 0	0	I	Family Limited Partnership	
Common Shares	12/18/2012		G	V	210,279 (4)	A	\$0	1,216,234.3056 (3)	D		
Common Shares	12/19/2012		G	V	345,000 (5)	D	\$0	871,882.3056 (3) (6)	D		

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Common Shares 12/	19/2012	G	V	345,000 (5)	A	\$0	345,000	I	Family Trust
Common Shares							9,400	I	By Wife
Common Shares							200	I	By Daughter

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 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)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code \	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FREDERICO DOMINIC 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE HAMILTON, D0 HM08	X		President/CEO/Deputy Chairman				

# **Signatures**

By: James M. Michener
Attorney-in-fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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### **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) Common Stock being withheld to pay tax liability.
- (2) Total reflects return of 136,836 common shares from the reporting person's Grantor Retained Annuity Trust in satisfaction of such trust's annuity obligation. These common shares were previously reported as indirectly owned by Trust.
- (3) Represents cash settlement of a fraction of a restricted stock unit granted pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd. 2004 Long Tern Incentive Plan which meets the requirements of Rule 16b-3.
- (4) The reporting person's family limited partnership transferred these common shares to the reporting person's individual account.
- (5) The reporting person transferred these common shares from his individual account to his family trust.
- Total includes 648 shares purchased on 12/31/2012 pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd. Employee Stock Purchase Plan which meets the requirements of Rule 16b-3.

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