MCGURN DAVID E JR

Form 5

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Form 4 Transactions Reported

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer MCGURN DAVID E JR Symbol GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO (Check all applicable) [AJG] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2005 Vice President ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO., TWO PIERCE PLACE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line)

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| (City) | (State) (Zi | p) Table 1 | I - Non-Deriva | ative Secu | rities | Acquir | ed, Disposed of | , or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|----------------|---------------|---|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, | (A) o of (D |) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 12/08/2005 | Â | G | 2,172 | D | \$ <u>(1)</u> | 134,761 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 12/08/2005 | Â | G | 724 | A | \$ <u>(1)</u> | 1,441 | I | by Son |
| Common Stock | 12/08/2005 | Â | G | 1,448 | A | \$ (1) | 2,882 | I | by Spouse |
| Common | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 48,218 | I | by Trust |

Stock

Common Stock \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} 4,763 \hat{A} \hat{A} (restricted)

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)

| | | (0.8., puts, ca | ins, warrants, option | 15, 6011 (61 61616 | securi | 10105) | | | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--------|--------|--|--------------------|---|----------------------|
| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | Number | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
| | | | | | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | An or Nu of |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 7.97 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 07/17/2006 | Common Stock | 40 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 9.25 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 08/30/2008 | Common Stock | 40 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 18.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 06/20/2010 | Common Stock | 30 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 22.7 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 07/21/2012 | Common Stock | 20 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 24.9 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 01/01/2004(3) | 07/16/2013 | Common Stock | 3: |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 26.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 07/19/2011 | Common Stock | 20 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 27.25 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 07/20/2015 | Common Stock | 30 |
| | \$ 29.42 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (3) | 07/21/2014 | | 3: |

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

MCGURN DAVID E JR ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO. TWO PIERCE PLACE ITASCA, ILÂ 60143

Â Â Vice President Â

Other

Signatures

By: John C. Rosengren For: David E. McGurn, Jr.

02/06/2006

**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) This transaction involves a gift.
- (2) Held by spouse as custodian for benefit of children under the Uniform Gift to Minors Act.
- (3) The stock option becomes exercisable 10% each year, commencing January 1 after the date of grant.

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