

Dupont Wesley D  
Form 4  
March 01, 2011

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Dupont Wesley D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE  
CO. HOLDINGS,  
AG, LINDENSTRASSE 8

(Street)

BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6430

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

Allied World Assurance Co  
Holdings, AG [AWH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/26/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
EVP, Gen. Counsel & Corp. Sec.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	02/26/2011		M	1,000	A \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	74,712	D
Common Shares	02/26/2011		D	500	D \$ 61.2548 <sup>(2)</sup>	74,212	D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/26/2011		M	1,000 (1)	02/26/2010 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/26/2013 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Shares

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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LINDENSTRASSE 8  
BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6430

EVP, Gen. Counsel & Corp.  
Sec.

## Signatures

/s/ Wayne H. Datz, by Power of  
Attorney

03/01/2011

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).

On February 26, 2009, the reporting person was granted 4,000 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted

(1) Stock Units convert into (i) 2,000 of the Company's Common Shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 2,000 Common Shares (measured at the date of vesting) upon the vesting of such Restricted Stock Units.

(2) The fair market value of the cash portion of the grant was determined using the daily volume-weighted average sales price of the Company's Common Shares for the five consecutive trading days up to and including February 25, 2011.

(3) The Restricted Stock Units vest in four equal annual installments with the first installment vesting on February 26, 2010.

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