FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

| STATEMENT | OF CHANGES | IN BENEFICIAL | OWNERSHIP |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CULVER CURT S</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGIC INVESTMENT CORP [MTG] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------|---------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|--|---|---|---------------------|---|------------------|---|---|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|------------|--|
| (Last) MGIC P | LAZA | irst) JRN AVENUE | (Middle) | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2009 | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO | | | | |
| (Street) MILWAUKEE WI 53202 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (5 | | | | 4: | tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | ction | tion 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | | 3. Transa Code | action | 4. Securities Acquired (A) on Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | | or | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | | |
| | | | | | | \downarrow | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | | ice | Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a | ion(s) and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common | Stock | | | 01/22 | /2009 | \perp | | | P | | 25,00 |)0 <i>A</i> | \$ | 1.8976 | 599 | ,303 | _ | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 12,673.413(1) | | I | By Issuer's Profit Sharing and Savings Plan | | | | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | | quired, s, optic | | | | | | Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Year) | | ed 4 Date, | I 4. Date, Transactio | | 5. Number 6. on of Ex | | 6. Date Expiration | 5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) | | unt | 3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | (| Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisab | | xpiration ate | Title | Amo or Num of Sh | ber | | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$46.0625 | | | | | | | | (2) | 0. | 5/05/2009 | Commor Stock | 75, | 000 | | 75,000 | 0 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$45.375 | | | | | | | | (3) | 0 | 1/26/2010 | Commor Stock | 150 | ,000 | | 150,00 | 00 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$57.88 | | | | | | | | (2) | 0 | 1/24/2011 | Commor Stock | 75, | 000 | | 75,000 | 0 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$63.8 | | | | | | | | (2) | 0 | 1/23/2012 | Commor Stock | 120 | ,000 | | 120,00 | 00 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$43.7 | | | | | | | | (2) | 0 | 1/22/2013 | Commor Stock | 80, | 000 | | 80,000 | 0 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$68.2 | | | | | | | | (4) | 0 | 1/28/2014 | Commor Stock | 80, | 000 | | 80,000 | 0 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

2. All of these options are vested and exercisable in full.

3. Partial vesting of these options occurred on January 26 of each of the five years beginning in 2001, based on certain performance standards. Any portion of the option which did not vest at January 26, 2005 will become vested on January 26, 2009 based on the reporting person's continued service to the Issuer.

4. One-fifth of these options vest on January 28 of each of the five years beginning in 2005.

Remarks:

This Form 4 is being signed by the reporting person's attorney-in-fact pursuant to a previously filed power of attorney.

<u>Dan D. Stilwell, Attorney-in-fact</u> <u>01/22/2009</u>

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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).

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