RICHARDS ROBERT

Form 4 June 16, 2005

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RICHARDS ROBERT

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Symbol RADIAN GROUP INC [RDN]

06/15/2005

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

1601 MARKET 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

(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)	Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or				(D)	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 Stock	06/15/2005		M	12,600	A	\$ 12.1875	15,500	D			
common stock	06/15/2005		S	12,600	D	\$ 47.25	2,900	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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Acqu or Di (D)	rities ired (A) sposed of . 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
dividend equivalent rights	\$ 0 (2)						02/08/2015(3)	02/08/2015(3)	common stock	3.4
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (2)						02/08/2015	02/08/2015	common stock	2,
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (2)						02/10/2014	02/10/2014	common stock	2,
stock option	\$ 12.1875	06/15/2005		M		12,600	11/06/1997	11/06/2005	common stock	12
stock option	\$ 20.3125						01/19/2001	01/19/2009	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						04/13/2009	04/13/2009	common stock	8
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						12/17/2009	12/17/2009	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 21.0313						01/18/2001	01/18/2010	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						12/05/2010	12/05/2010	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 27.1875						01/22/2002	01/22/2011	common stock	2,
stock option	\$ 35.81						11/06/2002	11/06/2011	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						11/06/2011	11/06/2011	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 35.79						01/30/2004	01/30/2013	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						01/30/2013	01/30/2013	common stock	8

Reporting Owners

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Signatures

Howard S. Yaruss Howard S. Yaruss (POA) Atty-in-fact 06/16/2005

**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) n/a
- (2) 1-for-1
- (3) dividend equivalent rights accrued on phantom stock units and become exercisable proportionately with the options to which they relate.

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