WELLPOINT INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHAEFFER LEONARD D

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2005

120 MONUMENT CIRCLE

(Middle)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) comp Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	200	D	\$ 122.83	1,040,824	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	500	D	\$ 122.84	1,040,324	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	14,600	D	\$ 122.85	1,025,724	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	3,300	D	\$ 122.86	1,022,424	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2005		S	200	D	\$ 122.87	1,022,224	D	
	03/02/2005		S	3,300	D		1,018,924	D	

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Common					\$		
Stock					122.88		
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 122.89	1,016,424	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	6,600	D	\$ 122.9	1,009,824	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	800	D	\$ 122.91	1,009,024	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	300	D	\$ 122.92	1,008,724	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 122.94	1,007,324	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	4,400	D	\$ 122.95	1,002,924	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	2,200	D	\$ 122.96	1,000,724	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	4,600	D	\$ 122.97	996,124	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 122.98	995,424	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 122.99	993,924	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	4,400	D	\$ 123	989,524	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	300	D	\$ 123.01	989,224	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	3,600	D	\$ 123.02	985,624	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 123.03	984,924	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 123.04	984,224	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	1,200	D	\$ 123.05	983,024	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	300	D	\$ 123.06	982,724	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	300	D	\$ 123.07	982,424	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 123.08	981,124	D
	03/02/2005	S	800	D	\$ 123.1	980,324	D

Common Stock							
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	800	D	\$ 123.11	979,524	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 123.12	979,324	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 123.13	979,124	D
Common Stock	03/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 123.16	978,924	D

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SCHAEFFER LEONARD D 120 MONUMENT CIRCLE INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	X							

Signatures

Nancy Purcell, Attorney-in-fact 03/04/2005

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**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).

Remarks:

Form 3 of 4 being filed for the reporting person on the same day.

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