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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations may continue. See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Cordani David

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

CIGNA CORP [CI]

(Check all applicable)

900 COTTAGE GROVE ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Vear)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2005

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SVP, Customer Segment & Mktg

(Street)

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

Applicable Line)

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

Person

HARTFORD, CT 06152

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, 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)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	03/04/2005		M	1,633	A	\$ 41.92	11,877	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	03/04/2005		F	757	D	\$ 90.43	11,120	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	03/04/2005		F	276	D	\$ 90.43	10,844	D	
Common Stock, \$.25							317	I	By 401(k)

Par Value

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 41.92	03/04/2005		M	1,633	02/26/2004	02/26/2013	Common Stock	1,633

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Cordani David 900 COTTAGE GROVE ROAD HARTFORD, CT 06152			SVP, Customer Segment & Mktg				

Signatures

By: Carol J. Ward on

behalf of 03/08/2005

**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) This option vests in three equal annual installments beginning 2/26/04.

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