

BELL MICHAEL W
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BELL MICHAEL W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1650 MARKET STREET, ONE
LIBERTY PLACE

(Street)

PHILADELPHIA, PA 191921550

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CIGNA CORP [CI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
EVP, CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005		F		643	D	\$ 113.87
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005		M		816	A	\$ 89.7
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005		F		69	D	\$ 113.87
Common Stock, \$.25	08/15/2005		F		1,021	D	\$ 113.87
							39,764
							40,580
							40,511
							39,490

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Par Value								
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	M	1,181	A	\$ 98.4	40,671	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	F	64	D	\$ 113.87	40,607	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	F	384	D	\$ 113.87	40,223	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	M	483	A	\$ 90.47	40,706	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	F	40	D	\$ 113.87	40,666	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	F	1,055	D	\$ 113.87	39,611	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	M	1,327	A	\$ 90.47	40,938	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value	08/15/2005	F	108	D	\$ 113.87	40,830	D	
Common Stock, \$.25 Par Value						2,266.19 ⁽¹⁾	I	By 401(k)

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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
			Code	V (A)	(D)			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 90.47	08/15/2005	M		483	11/06/1999 02/26/2007	Common Stock	483
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 90.47	08/15/2005	M		1,327	11/06/1999 02/26/2007	Common Stock	1,327
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 98.4	08/15/2005	M		1,181	02/28/2001 02/26/2007	Common Stock	1,181
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 89.7	08/15/2005	M		816	05/27/2002 02/26/2007	Common Stock	816

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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Signatures

By: Carol J. Ward on
behalf of 08/16/2005

**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) Includes shares acquired through ongoing participation in CIGNA's 401 (K) Plan.

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