

Karpowicz James A
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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 *
 Karpowicz James A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MGIC INVESTMENT CORP
 [MTG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 MGIC PLAZA, 250 EAST
 KILBOURN AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/22/2006

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	01/22/2006		F	654	D \$ 65.09	39,006	D
Common Stock	01/22/2006		F	178	D \$ 65.09	38,828	D

Common Stock 824.482 ⁽¹⁾ I By Issuer's Profit Sharing and Savings Plan

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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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.4375					(2) 01/22/2007		Common Stock	6,000
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 46.0625					(2) 05/05/2009		Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.375					(3) 01/26/2010		Common Stock	12,500
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 57.88					(4) 01/24/2011		Common Stock	6,250
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.8					(5) 01/23/2012		Common Stock	10,000
	\$ 43.7					(6) 01/22/2013			7,000

Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)					Common Stock	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 68.2	(7)	01/28/2014		Common Stock	7,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Karpowicz James A MGIC PLAZA 250 EAST KILBOURN AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Dan D. Stilwell,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/23/2006

**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) Balance as of December 31, 2005.
 - (2) All of these options are vested and exercisable in full.
Vesting of these options occurs on January 26 of each of the five years beginning in 2001, at a rate equal to the percent by which the Issuer's earnings per share for the prior fiscal year was of \$31.21, subject to at least a 10% increase in the Issuer's earnings per share from the prior fiscal year, and with any portion of the option which has not been vested at January 26, 2005 becoming vested on January 26, 2009.
 - (3)
 - (4) One-fifth of these options vest on January 24 of each of the five years beginning in 2002.
 - (5) One-fifth of these options vest on January 23 of each of the five years beginning in 2003.
 - (6) One-fifth of these options vest on January 22 of each of the five years beginning in 2004.
 - (7) One-fifth of these options vest on January 28 of each of the five years beginning in 2005.

Remarks:

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

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