GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSON DAVID S

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO

[AJG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Other (specify

ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO., TWO PIERCE PLACE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

Officer (give title

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

ITASCA, IL 60143

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	08/16/2013		Code V	Amount 22,600	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 44,145	(Instr. 4)	
Stock Common						30.58	·		
Stock Common	08/16/2013		S	18,979	D	43.05 (1) \$	25,166	D	
Stock Common	08/20/2013		M	2,400	A	30.58 \$	27,566	D	
Stock	08/20/2013		S	2,400	D	43.08	25,166 2,500	D D	

Common Stock (restricted)

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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.58	08/16/2013		M	22,600	(3)	05/17/2014	Common Stock	22,6
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.58	08/20/2013		M	2,400	(3)	05/17/2014	Common Stock	2,40

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSON DAVID S ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER & CO. TWO PIERCE PLACE ITASCA, IL 60143	X					
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Signatures

/s/ Seth Diehl, by power of attorney 08/20/2013

**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).

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- The price reported is an average weighted price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$43.00 to \$43.11.
- (1) The reporting person will provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or any security holder of the issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (2) Restricted stock unit award vesting one year after the date of grant.
- (3) The stock option becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments, commencing one year after the date of grant.

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