PROASSURANCE CORP

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lisenby Jeffrey Patton

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PROASSURANCE CORP [PRA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(0:4-)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

C/O PROASSURANCE CORPORATION, 100 **BROOKWOOD PLACE**

(Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2014

_X__ Officer (give title __X__ Other (specify below) below)

Executive Vice-President / Secretary &

(Check all applicable)

General Counsel

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209-6811

(Stata)

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	02/21/2014		Code V A	Amount 1,000 (1)		Price \$ 46.34	(Instr. 3 and 4) 28,731	D	
Common Stock	02/21/2014		A	1,208 (2)	A	\$ 43.57	29,939	D	
Common Stock	02/21/2014		A	3,028 (3)	A	\$ 46.34	32,967	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	ctiorDerivative Securities		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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/21/2014		A	5,000		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,000
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	114
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	2,900
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	116
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(7)</u>						<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	3,065
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	82
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 46.34	02/21/2014		A		2,198	<u>(8)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Common Stock	2,198

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Lisenby Jeffrey Patton			Executive	Secretary & General			
C/O PROASSURANCE			Vice-President	Counsel			
CORPORATION							

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Signatures

Jeffrey P. 02/25/2014 Lisenby

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- These shares are exempt under Rule 16b-3. Bonus shares awarded to the reporting person under the terms of the ProAssurance 2008

 (1) Equity Incentive Plan by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. The Compensation Committee is comprised solely of independent, non-employee directors
- (2) Payout of Restricted Shares awarded to the reporting person upon completion of a three year vesting period. Vesting of 2,198 shares reduced by withholding of 990 shares to cover tax liability resulting from the maturation of this award.
- Payout of Performance Shares awarded to the reporting person upon completion of a three year performance period at year-end 2013. The Compensation Committee of the ProAssurance Corporation Board of Directors reviewed the company's performance against the defined criteria and approved this award. The Compensation Committee is comprised solely of independent, non-employee directors.
 - Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of ProAssurance Corporation common stock, issuable from the ProAssurance 2008 Equity Incentive Plan. The RSUs will vest if the reporting person remains continuously employed by
- (4) ProAssurance or one of its subsidiaries until December 31, 2016. Vesting will accelerate upon termination of employment as the result of (i) death; (ii) disability; or (iii) Good Reason, as defined in the reporting person's employment agreement with ProAssurance Corporation, or by action of the Compensation Committee of the ProAssurance Corporation Board of Directors. The RSUs will be settled in shares of ProAssurance Common Stock and in cash, with the cash portion being approximately equal to the federal, state, and local taxes.
 - RSU's are equal in value to one share of Common Stock, are issued under the 2008 Equity Plan and acquired under terms of the ProAssurance Corporation 2011 Employee Stock Ownership Plan. The RSUs will vest upon the sooner of three years of continuous employment, termination of employment by reason of death or disability or for "good reason," or a change of control of the Company. If a
- participant terminates employment more than twelve months but less than three years from the date of grant, the RSUs will partially vest based on the number of days that the participant was employed in the vesting period. Any RSUs that are unvested on termination of employment will be forfeited. In addition, if a participant withdraws shares purchased for his or her account, matching unvested RSUs will be forfeited. Upon vesting, we will pay the RSUs in shares of our Common Stock from those shares reserved for issuance under the 2008 Equity Plan. Value to be established upon vesting.
 - Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of ProAssurance Corporation common stock, issuable from the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan. The RSUs will vest if the reporting person remains continuously employed by ProAssurance or one of its subsidiaries until February 26, 2012 (three years from date of grant). Vesting will accelerate upon termination of employment as the
- (6) result of (i) death; (ii) disability; or (iii) Good Reason, as defined in the reporting person's employment agreement with ProAssurance Corporation, or by action of the Compensation Committee of the ProAssurance Corporation Board of Directors. The RSUs will be settled in shares of ProAssurance Common Stock and in cash, with the cash portion being approximately equal to the federal, state, and local taxes
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