Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG

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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 * Dupont Wesley D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG [AWH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE

02/12/2015

EVP & General Counsel

CO. HOLDINGS, AG, GUBELSTRASSE 24, PARK TOWER, 15TH FLOOR

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Zip)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ZUG, V8 6300

(City)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 265,873 (1) 02/12/2015 M 75,000 \$ 9.44 D A (2) Shares \$ Common 02/12/2015 S 75,000 D 40.6643 190,873 (1) D Shares (3)

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)	5. Number of onDerivative 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 Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Options (right to	\$ 9.44 (4)	02/12/2015		M		,000 (4)	12/01/2005(5)	12/01/2015	Common Shares	75,0 (4)

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other

Dupont Wesley D ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO. HOLDINGS, AG GUBELSTRASSE 24, PARK TOWER, 15TH FLOOR ZUG, V8 6300

EVP & General Counsel

Signatures

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/s/ Wayne H. Datz, by Power of 02/13/2015 Attorney

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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) Reflects the issuer's 3-for-1 stock split paid on May 23, 2014.
- Includes 669 common shares acquired on June 30, 2014 and 7 common shares acquired on December 31, 2014 pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 2008 Employee Share Purchase Plan.
- Represents a weighted average sale price: the sales prices range from \$40.51 to \$40.80. Upon request, the full sale information regarding (3) the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the U.S. Securities Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security
- The exercise price and number of shares underlying the Employee Stock Options have been adjusted to reflect the issuer's 3-for-1 stock split paid on May 23, 2014.

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(5) These securities vested in four equal annual installments with the first installment vesting on the date shown. The options exercised and sold were due to expire on December 1, 2015.

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