FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DONEGAL MUTUAL INSURANCE CO						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DONEGAL GROUP INC DGICB									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
DONEGAL MUTUAL INSURANCE CO					1						_	-				Direc	ctor	2	X 10% C	wner	
(Loot) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2005										Offic belov	er (give title v)		Other below)	(specify	
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(Street) MARIATTA PA 17547				7. 11.7.	Line)											or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable rm filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City) (State) (Zip)														Person							
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriva	ative S	Secu	uritie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed (Code (Instr. 5)			ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu Bene Own		urities eficially ned Following		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Class B C	ommon Sto	nmon Stock 08/16/2005					P		193		A	\$20	.44	2,7	751,896		D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, T	ransaction ode (Instr.		of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/I	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

Ralph G. Spontak, Sr. V. P.

08/17/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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