FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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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]											Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner							
																		er (give title	4		-			
(Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2004											Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)						
1195 RIVER ROAD																								
					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)												6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) MARIETTA PA 17547																X	,							
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(City) (State) (Zip)																	. 0.0							
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curit	ties	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ber	efici	ally	Owne	ed						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da						ur)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and Secu Bene Own		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(30. 4)			
Class B C	/2004	2004			P		666		A	\$21	.21	1,914,775			D									
Class B Common Stock 03/11/							2004			P		8,333		A	\$21.17		1,923,108			D				
Class B C	/2004	2004			P		666		A	\$21.13		1,923,774			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 Executior if any (Month/Da	Date, Trans Code		nsaction de (Instr.		n of		6. Date E. Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		I	Deri Seci	Price of ivative curity etr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Explanation of Responses:

Ralph G. Spontak, Sr. VP, Secretary and CFO

03/12/2004

** 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).
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