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 [*] NIKOLAUS DONALD H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DONEGAL GROUP INC [DGICA]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) 1195 RIV PO BOX	RIVER ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2010									X Officer (give title below) President & CE			(specify)		
(Street) MARIET (City)	MARIETTA PA 17547				- 4. l	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - 1	lon-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	cquire	ed, D	isposed o	f, or B	enefic	ciall	y Own	ed					
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 (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow Reported		es ally Following	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect I direct E . 4) (Ownership				
	Code	v					Amount	(A) or (D)	A) or D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)						
Class A C	ommon Sto	ock ⁽¹⁾		11/15/20	010				J	V	1,096.807	A	\$14.9	962	143,7	98.162	I		101(k) Plan		
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾				11/15/2010				J	V	367.559	A	\$14	14.4 144,165.721		65.721	I		101(k) Plan			
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾				11/23/2010					J	V	1.925	A	\$14.	14.51 144,167.646		67.646	I		101(k) Plan		
Class A Common Stock															132,6	03.202	D				
Class A Common Stock															150	,154	I		Family Foundation		
Class A Common Stock															1,36	5.798	I	9	Spouse		
Class B Common Stock															130,2	210.44	D				
Class B Common Stock															51,637.532		I		101(k) Plan		
Class B Common Stock															3,	938	I		Family Foundation		
Class B Common Stock														589		I	5	Spouse			
		Та	ble II								posed of, o				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date if any			eemed tion Date,	4. Transa Code (5. Number		6. Dat	te Exe	rcisable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Di or	wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares								

Explanation of Responses:

1. Dividend Reinvestment - 401(k) Plan

Donald H. Nikolaus

12/21/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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 $^{^{\}star}$ If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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