

HOWELL DOUGLAS K
Form 4
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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 *
HOWELL DOUGLAS K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO [AJG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2850 GOLF ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/13/2017

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP & Chief Financial Officer

ROLLING MEADOWS, IL 60008-4002

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)			
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	12/13/2017	I		181		⁽²⁾	⁽²⁾	Common Stock	181 \$ 64.2
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	12/13/2017	I		127		⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	Common Stock	127 \$ 64.2
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	12/13/2017	I		54		⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	54 \$ 64.2
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	12/13/2017	I		43		⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock	43 \$ 64.2
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	12/13/2017	I		423		⁽⁶⁾	⁽⁶⁾	Common Stock	423 \$ 64.2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOWELL DOUGLAS K 2850 GOLF ROAD ROLLING MEADOWS, IL 60008-4002			VP & Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Seth Diehl, by power of attorney
12/15/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) Each notional stock unit represents a right to receive one share of Gallagher common stock.
- (2) The notional stock units become payable in July 2018.

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- (3) The notional stock units become payable in July 2020.
- (4) The notional stock units become payable in July 2021.
- (5) The notional stock units become payable in July 2022.
- (6) The notional stock units become payable following the reporting person's separation from service with Gallagher.

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