

Goulet Kenneth R  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Goulet Kenneth R

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
120 MONUMENT CIRCLE  
(Street)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/14/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Pres & CEO Comm and EVP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount (A) or (D) Price                                                                       |                                                          |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                   | 7,500 A \$ 44.9                                                                               | 27,854                                                   | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 2,100 D \$ 74.05                                                                              | 25,754                                                   | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 4,700 D \$ 74.06                                                                              | 21,054                                                   | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/14/2008                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 700 D \$ 74.07                                                                                | 20,354                                                   | D                                 |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 44.9                                                | 02/14/2008                           |                                                    | M                              | 7,500                                                                          | <u>(1)</u> 06/27/2014                                    | Common Stock                                                  | 7,500                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                    | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                                                   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| Goulet Kenneth R<br>120 MONUMENT CIRCLE<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 |               |           | Pres & CEO Comm and EVP |       |

## Signatures

Nancy Purcell,  
Attorney-in-fact 02/15/2008

\*\*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) Options exercised vested as follows: 6,040 on 6/28/05 and 1,460 on 12/28/05. Of the remaining 27,152 options, 6,806 vested on 12/28/05, 6,038 vested on 6/28/06, 8,268 vested on 12/28/06 and 6,040 vested on 6/28/07.

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