

MAHONEY DENNIS L  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MAHONEY DENNIS L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

AON CORPORATION -  
CORPORATE LAW DEPT, 200  
EAST RANDOLPH STREET, 8TH  
FLOOR

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AON CORP [AOC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/16/2005

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)  
Aon Limited - Chairman/CEO

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 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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |  |
| Common Stock                    | 01/16/2005                           |  | M <sup>(1)</sup>               | 4,500 A   | \$ 22.855   | 40,649   | D  |
| Common Stock                    | 01/16/2005                           |  | F <sup>(2)</sup>               | 1,845 D   | \$ 22.855   | 38,804   | 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 Acquired (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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Common Stock                               | (3)  | 01/16/2005                           |  | M                              | 4,500   | 01/16/2005 01/16/2005                                    | Common Stock  | 4,500                         |

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

MAHONEY DENNIS L  
AON CORPORATION - CORPORATE LAW DEPT  
200 EAST RANDOLPH STREET, 8TH FLOOR  
CHICAGO, IL 60601

Aon Limited - Chairman/CEO

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer L. Kraft - Jennifer L. Kraft pursuant to a power of attorney from Dennis L. Mahoney

01/16/2005

\_\_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) Shares of common stock acquired upon the vesting of a restricted stock award.

(2) Shares of common stock withheld by the issuer for payment of withholding taxes in connection with the vesting of a restricted stock award.

(3) The restricted stock award converts to shares of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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