ASHFORD ORLANDO D

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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COMPANIES, INC. [MMC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ASHFORD ORLANDO D

Symbol MARSH & MCLENNAN

(First) (Middle)

1166 AVENUE OF THE

AMERICAS

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/22/2010

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

Senior Vice President, HR

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(State) (Zip) (City)

> 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)) or (D)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and	4)
				Code V	(A)	` /	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.705	02/22/2010		A	115,980		<u>(1)</u>	02/21/2020	Common Stock	115,98
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/22/2010		A(3)	8,259		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8,259

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ASHFORD ORLANDO D 1166 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036

Senior Vice President, HR

Signatures

/s/ Lucy Fato, Attorney-in-Fact 02/24/2010

**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) These options vest in four equal annual installments on February 22, 2011, February 22, 2012, February 22, 2013, and February 22, 2014.
- (2) The security converts to MMC common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (3) These restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments on February 15, 2011, February 15, 2012, and February 15, 2013.
- (4) Not Applicable.

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