RADIAN GROUP INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HOPKINS STEVE**

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

RADIAN GROUP INC [RDN]

(Check all applicable)

1601 MARKET STREET

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

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

12/23/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

10,000 D

Common stock

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
restricted stock units	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	common stock	42,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						08/07/2015	08/07/2015	common stock	46,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						02/05/2017	02/05/2017	common stock	1,8
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (1)						02/07/2016	02/07/2016	common stock	2,0
dividend equivalent rights	\$ 0 (1)	12/23/2009		A	20.4485	5	12/23/2018	12/23/2018	common stock	20.4
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (1)						02/08/2015	02/08/2015	common stock	2,0
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (1)						02/10/2014	02/10/2014	common stock	2,
stock option	\$ 35.79						01/30/2004	01/30/2013	common stock	2,4
phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						01/30/2013(3)	01/30/2013	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 21.0313						01/18/2001	01/18/2010	common stock	2,4
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						12/17/2009	12/17/2009	common stock	8
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						12/05/2010	12/05/2010	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 27.1875						01/22/2002	01/22/2011	common stock	2,4
stock option	\$ 35.81						11/06/2002	11/06/2011	common stock	2,4
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)						11/06/2011	11/06/2011	common stock	8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOPKINS STEVE 1601 MARKET STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Signatures

/s/ C. Robert Quint, C. Robert Quint (POA)
Atty-in-fact
12/24/2009

X

**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) 1-for-1
- Dividend equivalents accrued on unvested Phantom Stock Units. Dividend equivalents reported herein are related to various Phantom
- (2) Stock Units outstanding, dividend equivalent rights accrued on phantom stock units and become exercisable proportionately with the options to which they relate.
- (3) Amended to reflect vesting
- (4) RSU's are paid in cash at the time of retirement from the board of directors
- (5) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive a cash settlement equal to the value of one share of common stock for each share of restricted stock
- (6) Not Applicable

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