HOWELL DOUGLAS K

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HOWELL DOUGLAS K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

GALLAGHER ARTHUR J & CO [AJG]

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

12/19/2017

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title VP & Chief Financial Officer

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

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

Applicable Line)

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

Person

ROLLING

(Last)

2850 GOLF ROAD

MEADOWS, IL 60008-4002

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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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(Instr. 4)

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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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Transactionof

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of Underlying Securities Derivative

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derive Securi Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5)	ities ired sed 3, 4,	(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)	12/19/2017		I	183		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	183	\$ 64.4
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/19/2017		I	127		<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	127	\$ 64.4
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/19/2017		I	53		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	53	\$ 64.4
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/19/2017		I	42		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	42	\$ 64.4
Notional Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/19/2017		I	421		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	421	\$ 64.4

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ April Hanes-Dowd, by power of attorney 12/21/2017

**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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