

Bailenson Robert
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bailenson Robert

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ASSURED GUARANTY LTD
[AGO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ASSURED GUARANTY LTD., 30
WOODBOURNE AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/04/2018

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Chief Financial Officer

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

HAMILTON, D0 HM08

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Shares	02/04/2018		F		9,670 (1)	D \$ 35.19	201,384.0819 D
Common Shares	02/04/2018		M		39,094 (2)	A \$ 0	240,478.0819 D
Common Shares	02/04/2018		F		19,145 (1)	D \$ 35.19	221,333.0819 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance Share Units	(2)	02/04/2018	(2)	M	19,547	(2)	(2)	Common Shares 19,547

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Bailenson Robert ASSURED GUARANTY LTD. 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE HAMILTON, D0 HM08	Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Ling Chow,
Attorney-in-fact
02/06/2018

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Common Shares being withheld to pay tax liability.

Performance share units awarded pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd. 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Using the highest 40-day average stock price during the performance period (7/1/2016 to 12/31/2017), 200.00% of the performance share units granted became vested. The number of Common Shares delivered equals the number of performance share units granted multiplied by 200.00%.

(3) Total includes performance units from other tranches with different performance measures, performance periods and vesting dates, but does not include 49,094 outstanding options.

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