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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AdMILLS ROE	•	orting Person *	Symbol	and Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ASSURED GI [AGO]	UARANTY LTD	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earlies (Month/Day/Year		_X_ Officer (giv			
30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE			02/14/2008		below) below) Chief Financial Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment,	, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owne	
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Security		(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
	(Instr. 3)		any	Code (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
								Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
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						(A)		Transaction(s)		
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Common			Couc v	Amount	(D)	11100			
	Common	02/14/2008		A	20,000	A	(1)	213,622.01	D	
	Shares				,			•		
	Common									
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	Shares									

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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (E	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option	\$ 23.27	02/14/2008		A	40,000	(2)	02/14/2018	Common Shares	40,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MILLS ROBERT B 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE HAMILTON, D0 HM08

Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

By: James M. Michener Attorney-in-fact

02/19/2008

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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).
- Restricted stock units awarded pursuant to Assured Guaranty Ltd. 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan. The resticted stock units vest as follows: 1/4 on the first anniversary date of the award, 1/4 on the second anniversary date of the award, 1/4 on the third anniversary date of the award and 1/4 on the fourth anniversary date of the award. Upon vesting, one (1) common share will be delivered for each vested restricted stock unit.
- Stock option award pursuant to Assured Guaranty Ltd. 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan. Options vest as follows: 1/3 on the first

  (2) anniversary of the date of the award, 1/3 on the second anniversary of the date of the award and 1/3 on the third anniversary of the date of the award.
- (3) Total includes options from other tranches with different exercise prices and expiration dates.

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