**AETNA INC /PA/** Form 4 March 03, 2003

# FORM 4

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 6. Relationship of Reporting AETNA INC. (AET) (PA - Formerly Aetna U. S. Person(s) Heathcare Inc. to Issuer (Check all applicable) FRANKLIN, BARBARA HACKMAN X Director 3. I.R.S. Identification Number (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Statement for 10% Owner of Reporting Person, Month/Day/Year Officer (give title below) if an entity (voluntary) 2/28/03 THE WATERGATE OFFICE BUILDLING Other (specify below) 2600 VIRGINIA AVENUE, N.W. SUITE 50 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Street) 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Check Applicable Line) (Month/Day/Year) X Form filed by One Reporting WASHINGTON, DC 20037 Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (City) Table I (State) (Zip) 1. Title of Security 2. Trans-2A. Deemed 3. Trans-4. Securities Acquired Amount of 6. Owner-7. Nature of (Instr. 3) action Execution action (A) or Disposed of (D) Securities ship Form: Indirect Date, (Instr. 3, 4 & 5) Direct (D) Beneficial Date Code Beneficially (Month/ Day/ if any Owned Followor Indirect (I) Ownership Instr. 8) Year) ing Reported (Instr. 4) (Month/Day/ Instr. 4) Code Amount (A) Price Year) Transactions(s) or Instr. 3 & 4) (D) COMMON 7,491.404 D SHARES

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

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### **FORM 4 (continued)** 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	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.
Security	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	of Underlying	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-
	Exercise	action	Execution	action	of	Date	Securities	Security	Securities	ship
(Instr. 3)	Price of	Date	Date,	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/	(Instr. 3 & 4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form
	Derivative		if any		Securities	Year)			Owned	of Deriv-
	Security	(Month/	(Month/	(Instr.	Acquired				Following	ative
		-	Day/	8)	(A) or				Reported	Security:
		Year)	Year)		Disposed				Transaction(s)	Direct
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<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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			   		of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)		. 3,						(D) or Indirect (I)
				Code			(D)	Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)
PHANTOM STOCK UNITS	1 FOR 1				T			[1]		COMMON SHARES	8,284	8,284	D
DIRECTOR STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$35.78							[2]		COMMON SHARES	5,500	5,500	D
DIRECTOR STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$42.12	2/28/03		A	4,	,800		[3]		COMMON SHARES	4,800	4,800	D

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) UNITS HELD UNDER THE AETNA INC. NON-EMPLOYEE DIRECTOR COMPENSATION PLAN (THE "PLAN"). SUBJECT TO TERMS OF PLAN, UNITS MAY BE SETTLED IN AETNA COMMON STOCK, IN CASH OR A COMBINATION OF BOTH UPON REPORTING PERSON'S RETIREMENT.
- (2) PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. OPTION GRANTED UNDER THE AETNA INC. NON-EMPLOYEE DIRECTOR COMPENSATION PLAN (THE "PLAN") EXERCISEABLE ON JANUARY 25, 2003 (1,834 SHARES), JANUARY 25, 2004 (1,833 SHARES) AND JANUARY 25, 2005 (1,833 SHARES).
- (3) OPTION GRANTED UNDER THE PLAN EXERCISEABLE ON FEBRUARY 28, 2004 (1,600 SHARES), FEBRUARY 28, 2005 (1,600 SHARES) AND FEBRUARY 28, 2006 (1,600 SHARES).

# By: /s/ BARBARA HACKMAN FRANKLIN , BY PAIGE L. FALASCO, ATTORNEY IN FACT

MARCH 3, 2003 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.

If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of William and Christopher M. Todoroff, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact t

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Aetna Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation ("Aetna"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary of desirable to complete and execute any such Forms 3, 4, or 5 and timely file such Form with the Unsecurities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the

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opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally requiby, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contsuch terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discret

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and per any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the riand powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Comparassuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by Aetna, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 1

Signature: /s/Barbara Hackman Franklin
Barbara Hackman Franklin