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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Carmilani Scott A			Symbol Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG [AWH]	Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) ALLIED WC CO. HOLDII AG, LINDEN	NGS,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2010	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, CEO and Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6340

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	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)
Common Shares	12/01/2010		M	10,000	A	\$ 24.27	219,901	D	
Common Shares	12/01/2010		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 59.8693 (2)	209,901	D	

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

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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. Transactic 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 Amount Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 24.27	12/01/2010		M	10,000	11/21/2002(3)	11/21/2011	Common Shares	10,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Carmilani Scott A ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO. HOLDINGS, AG LINDENSTRASSE 8 BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6340	X		President, CEO and Chairman			

Signatures

/s/ Wayne H. Datz, by Power of Attorney 12/03/2010

**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) The exercise of Employee Stock Options and sale of Common Shares reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 11, 2010.
- (2) Represents a weighted average sale price: the sales prices range from \$59.21 to \$60.21. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (3) These securities vest in four equal annual installments with the first installment vesting on the date shown.

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