Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dupont Wesley D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG [AWH]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ALLIED WO CO. HOLDI AG, LINDE	NGS,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2014	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & General Counsel			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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	02/22/2014		M	878	A	\$ 0 (1)	63,341	D	
Common Shares	02/22/2014		M	430	A	\$ 0 (2)	63,771	D	
Common Shares	02/22/2014		M	875	A	\$ 0 (3)	64,646	D	
Common Shares	02/22/2014		D	1,267	D	\$ 99.8969 (4)	63,379	D	

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Common Shares 02/22/2014 F 533 (5) D \$ 99.55 62,846 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	onof Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2014		M		878 (1)	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Shares	878 (1)	<u>(1)</u>
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2014		M		430 (2)	<u>(8)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Common Shares	430 (2)	<u>(2)</u>
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/22/2014		M		875 (3)	<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common Shares	875 <u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dupont Wesley D ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO. HOLDINGS, AG LINDENSTRASSE 8 BAAR/ZUG, V8 CH-6340

EVP & General Counsel

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/s/ Wayne H. Datz, by Power of Attorney

02/25/2014

**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).
- On February 22, 2012, the reporting person was granted 3,510 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (1) Stock Units convert into (i) 702 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 2,808 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) of such Restricted Stock Units.
- On February 22, 2011, the reporting person was granted 1,720 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (2) Stock Units convert into (i) 860 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 860 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) upon the vesting of such Restricted Stock Units.
- On February 22, 2010, the reporting person was granted 3,500 Restricted Stock Units for no monetary consideration. The Restricted (3) Stock Units convert into (i) 2,100 common shares and (ii) cash equal to the market value of 1,400 common shares (measured at the date of vesting) upon the vesting of such Restricted Stock Units.
- (4) The fair market value of the cash portion was determined using the daily volume-weighted average sales price of the common shares for the five consecutive trading days prior to February 22, 2014, which was on a Saturday.
- (5) Exclusively represents shares withheld by the Company with respect to the payment of withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of Restricted Stock Units.
- (6) The Restricted Stock Units vest in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2013.
- (7) Represents all Restricted Stock Units held by the reporting person that vest in whole or in part in cash.
- (8) The Restricted Stock Units vest in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2012.
- (9) The Restricted Stock Units vested in four equal installments with the first installment vesting on February 22, 2011.

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