PROASSURANCE CORP

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See Instruction 1(b).

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **CROWE A DERRILL MD** Issuer Symbol PROASSURANCE CORP [PRA] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O PROASSURANCE 07/09/2008 below) below) CORPORATION, 100 Chairman **BROOKWOOD PLACE** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209-6811 Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership **Following** Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Trusts for the benefit of the Common S 400 07/09/2008 31,504 I reporting Stock person's minor children Common 07/09/2008 S 4,961 D \$48.8 31,904 I Trusts for Stock the benefit of the reporting

								person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	300	D	\$ 48.79	36,865	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 48.78	37,165	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	100	D	\$ 48.72	38,965	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	639	D	\$ 48.71	39,065	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.7	39,704	Ι	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	100	D	\$ 48.62	39,904	Ι	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	300	D	\$ 48.57	40,004	I	Trusts for the benefit

								of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.54	40,304	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	300	D	\$ 48.52	40,504	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.51	40,804	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.47	41,004	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.45	41,204	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.43	41,404	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children

Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	100	D	\$ 48.42	41,604	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.41	41,704	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.4	41,904	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.39	42,104	Ι	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.38	42,304	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	600	D	\$ 48.37	42,504	Ι	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	700	D	\$ 48.35	43,104	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's

								minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.33	43,804	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	100	D	\$ 48.31	44,004	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children
Common Stock	07/09/2008	S	200	D	\$ 48.29	44,104	I	Trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's minor children

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisal	ole and	7. Title and A	Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Date		Underlying S	Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Yea	r)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e			
	Derivative				Securities	S			
	Security				Acquired				
					(A) or				
					Disposed				
					of (D)				
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				
									Amount
							Expiration		or
						Date Exercisable	Date	Title	Number
				Code V	(A) (D)				of Shares
					() (-)				
Employee	\$ 51.48					09/10/2007 <u>(1)</u>	09/10/2017	Common	25,000
Stock								Stock	

Option (Right to Buy)					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.38	09/11/2006 <u>(2)</u>	09/11/2016	Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.15	09/10/2005(3)	09/10/2015	Common Stock	50,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.28	09/10/2004 <u>(4)</u>	09/10/2014	Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22	09/04/2003(5)	03/04/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.8	07/15/2002 <u>(6)</u>	01/15/2012	Common Stock	20,000

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CROWE A DERRILL MD C/O PROASSURANCE CORPORATION 100 BROOKWOOD PLACE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209-6811	X		Chairman	
Signatures				
Frank B. O'Neil as POA for A. Derrill Crow M.D.	ve,	07/10/2	2008	
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date		

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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 options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on September 10, 2007
- (2) The options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on September 11, 2006
- (3) The options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on September 10, 2005
- (4) The options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on September 10, 2004
- (5) The options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on September 4, 2003
- (6) The options vest in five equal, yearly installments commencing on July 15, 2002

Remarks:

The Reporting Person is filing two Form 4's to report stock sales from July 9, 2008 because the number of individual transaction. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.