ASSURED GUARANTY LTD

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HEIMANN JOHN G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASSURED GUARANTY LTD [AGO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
HAMILTON	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securit	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nAcquired	l (A) o	r	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					()		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	05/05/2006		A	3,690	A	<u>(1)</u>	18,988.945	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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HEIMANN JOHN G 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE X HAMILTON, D0 HM08

Signatures

By: James M. Michener Attorney-in-fact 05/08/2006

**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).

Restricted stock units awarded to non-management directors as an annual retainer equity award pursuant to the Assured Guaranty Ltd.

(1) 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan, which become non-forfeitable on the day immediately prior to the 2007 annual shareholders meeting with the issuance of the Common Shares deferred until six months after such director leaves the board.

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