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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer NGREENWALD GERALD Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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AETNA INC /PA/ [AET]

(Check all applicable)

GREENBRIAR EQUITY
GROUP 218 E VALLEY ROAD

(Street)

(State)

(First)

GROUP, 218 E VALLEY ROAD, SUITE 104-347 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2011

X Director _____ 10% Owner _____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below)

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

(Instr. 4)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

CARBONDALE, CO 81623

4. Securities 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following

(A) Reported Transaction(s) or (front 2 and 4)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

COMMON STOCK 14,823 I BY SPOUSE

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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| 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 proof Derivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restriction Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 05/20/2011 | | A | 3,551 | (2) | (2) | COMMON STOCK | 3,551 |

Reporting Owners

Relationships

GREENWALD GERALD GREENBRIAR EQUITY GROUP 218 E VALLEY ROAD, SUITE 104-347 CARBONDALE, CO 81623



Signatures

GERALD GREENWALD, by Judith H. Jones, Attorney-in-Fact

05/24/2011

**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) Units convert to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.

Restricted Stock Units granted under the Aetna Inc. 2010 Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). Subject to terms of the Plan, units will vest in four installments on August 20, 2011 (887 units), November 20, 2011 (888 units), February 20, 2012 (888 units) and May 20, 2012 (888 units), with payment of the units deferred until May 20, 2012. Upon payment date, units will be deferred to a stock unit account.

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