Bailenson Robert Form 4 September 14, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Bailenson Robert**

(First) (Middle)

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD., 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE

(State)

09/13/2018

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Symbol

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Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HAMILTON, D0 HM08

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	09/13/2018		M	10,000	A	\$ 7.44	252,786.0819	D	
Common Shares	09/13/2018		M	6,723	A	\$ 17.44	259,509.0819	D	
Common Shares	09/13/2018		S	16,723	D	\$ 40.42 (1)	242,786.0819	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Acquire Common Shares	\$ 7.44	09/13/2018		M	10,000	<u>(2)</u>	02/05/2019	Common Shares	10,000
Options to Acquire Common Shares	\$ 17.44	09/13/2018		M	6,723	02/09/2015	02/09/2019	Common Shares	6,723

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bailenson Robert

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD. 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE HAMILTON, D0 HM08

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Ling Chow, Attorney-in-fact 09/14/2018

**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).
 - The Common Shares sold by the Reporting Person and reported herein were sold at a range of between \$40.38 and \$40.461 per share.
- (1) The sale price reported above represents the weighted average sale price for the reported transaction and has been rounded to the nearest cent.

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- (2) Options vested as follows: 1/3 on 02/05/2010, 1/3 on 02/05/2011 and 1/3 on 02/05/2012.
- All options of this tranche have been exercised. The total number of options from other tranches with different exercise prices, vesting terms and expiration dates is 28,000 (after taking into account the options exercised as reported on this Form 4). The total number of performance share units from tranches with different performance measures, performance periods and vesting dates is 60,478.

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