Fidelity & Guaranty Life Form 4 December 15, 2015

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

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Tyler Paul

(First)

LOCUST STREET, 14TH FLOOR

(Street)

(State)

12/12/2015

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Fidelity & Guaranty Life [FGL]

12/12/2015

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

SVP, Strategy & Corp. Dev.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

DES MOINES, IA 50309

TWO RUAN CENTER, 601

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price  $F^{(1)}$ 652 D  $8,708 \frac{(2)}{}$ 25.78

(A)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. oriNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)					(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock (3)	<u>(3)</u>
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.87					<u>(4)</u>	12/01/2021	Common Stock	3,234
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.45					<u>(5)</u>	12/31/2019	Common Stock (5)	<u>(5)</u>
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17					<u>(6)</u>	12/12/2020	Common Stock	5,001

## **Reporting Owners**

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

Tyler Paul

TWO RUAN CENTER 601 LOCUST STREET, 14TH FLOOR DES MOINES, IA 50309

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# **Signatures**

/s/ Isabelle Aragon, Attorney-in-fact

\*\*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).

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- (1) Represents the withholding by the Issuer of restricted stock to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of restricted stock, which has been approved pursuant to the requirements of Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Includes restricted stock.
  - Each restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Class B Common Stock of Fidelity & Guaranty Life Holdings, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Issuer (the "F&G Subsidiary"). Each restricted stock unit will be settled upon vesting in cash in an
- (3) amount equal to the fair market value of one share of Class B Common Stock of the F&G Subsidiary. It is expected that the fair market value of a share of Class B Common Stock of the F&G Subsidiary will be derived from the value of the Common Stock of the Issuer. The remaining restricted stock units will vest on December 31, 2015.
- (4) The option vests in three equal annual installments on December 1, 2015, 2016 and 2017, subject to continued employment through such date.
  - The option entitles the reporting person to receive, upon exercise, a cash payment equal to the excess of the fair market value of a share of Class B Common Stock of F&G Subsidiary, over the exercise price of the option. It is expected that the fair market value of a share of
- (5) Class B Common Stock of the F&G Subsidiary will be derived from the value of the Common Stock of the Issuer. The option became exercisable as to 1,526 shares on December 31, 2013, 1,526 shares on December 31, 2014, and will become exercisable as to 1,526 shares on December 31, 2015.
- (6) The option vests in three equal annual installments on December 12, 2014, 2015 and 2016, subject to continued employment through such date.

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