HANOVER INSURANCE GROUP, INC.

Form 4 May 11, 2017

Common

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may con	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										
(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and A Fowle John	Address of Reporting Person	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HANOVER INSURANCE GROUP, INC. [THG]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
							(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (Middl		3. Date of Earliest Transaction				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify				
C/O THE HANOVED INCIDANCE 05/10/2017 below)						below) EO, Chaucer	c. (specify				
	(Street)	(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				
WORCEST	TER, MA 01653					Form filed by N Person	More than One Re	eporting			
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any	cecution Date, if Transact Code onth/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed 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 Stock	05/10/2017	A <u>(1)</u>	3	A	\$ 83.55	713	I	By Trustee of The Chaucer Share			

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Incentive Plan

By Trustee of The

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Incentive Plan

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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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fowle John

C/O THE HANOVER INSURANCE GROUP, INC.

440 LINCOLN STREET

WORCESTER, MA 01653

CEO, Chaucer

Signatures

/s/ Matthew R. Frascella pursuant to Confirming Statement

05/11/2017

**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) Purchase of shares pursuant to The Chaucer Share Incentive Plan.
- (2) Matching shares under The Chaucer Share Incentive Plan; subject to vesting requirements.
- (3) Does not include 2,820 shares held directly by the Reporting Person

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