DONEGAL GROUP INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *LYONS JOHN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DONEGAL GROUP INC [DGICA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,							X Director 10% Owner				
1195 RIVER ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2013					Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street) 4.			4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Fi MARIETTA, PA 17547			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting			
MARIETTA						Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)	, , ,			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Class A Common Stock (1)	01/02/2013			A	400	A	\$ 14.04	43,018	D		
Class A Common Stock								2,188	I	Spouse	
Class B Common								1,776	I	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nı
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deri
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	/Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secu
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						Date	Expiration		Or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C-J- V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LYONS JOHN J							

X

1195 RIVER ROAD MARIETTA, PA 17547

Signatures

Jeffrey D. Miller, by power of 01/02/2013 attorney

**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) Grant from Directors Equity Incentive Plan

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