RADIAN 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).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CULANG HOWARD BERNARD**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

RADIAN GROUP INC [RDN]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

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

12/21/2005

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

1601 MARKET STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

(State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and Amo (Month/Day/Year)

of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security				or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of S
dividend equivalent rights (3)	\$ 0 (2)	12/21/2005	A		2.8298		02/08/2015(3)	02/08/2015(3)	common stock	2.8
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (2)						02/08/2015	02/08/2015	common stock	2,
phantom stock unit	\$ 0 (2)						02/10/2014	02/10/2014	common stock	2,
stock option	\$ 35.79						01/30/2004	01/30/2013	common stock	2,
phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						01/30/2003	01/30/2013	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 21.0313						01/18/2001	01/18/2010	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						12/17/2009	12/17/2009	common stock	8
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						12/05/2010	12/05/2010	common stock	8
stock option	\$ 27.1875						01/22/2002	01/22/2011	common stock	2,
stock option	\$ 35.81						11/06/2002	11/06/2011	common stock	2,
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)						11/06/2011	11/06/2011	common stock	8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CULANG HOWARD BERNARD 1601 MARKET STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103	X						
Signatures							

Howard S. Yaruss Howard S. Yaruss (POA) 12/23/2005 Atty-in-fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) n/a
- (2) 1-for-1
- (3) dividend equivalent rights accrued on phantom stock units and become exercisable proportionately with the options to which they relate.

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