NIKOLAUS DONALD H

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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NIKOLAUS DONALD H	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DONEGAL GROUP INC [DGICA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
1195 RIVER ROAD, PO BOX 302	(Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2017	_X_ Director10% OwnerOfficer (give titleX Other (specify below) See Remarks			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Sec	urities	Acquired,	Disposed of, or Ber	neficially Ow	ned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A onDisposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 and)	d (A) or	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)	
	Class A Common Stock (1)	08/15/2017		J V	2,163.5007	A	\$ 15.4044	194,984.9207	I	401(k) Plan	
	Class A Common Stock							115,158.869	D		
	Class A Common Stock							16,365.798	I	Spouse	
	Class A Common							166,369	I	Family Foundation	

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Class B Common Stock	130,210.44	D	
Class B Common Stock	51,802.461	I	401(k) Plan
Class B Common Stock	589	I	Spouse
Class B Common Stock	3,938	I	Family Foundation

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. SorNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NIKOLAUS DONALD H							
1195 RIVER ROAD	X			See Remarks			
PO BOX 302	Λ			See Remarks			
MARIETTA, PA 17547							

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Donald H. Nikolaus 08/29/2017

**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) Dividend Reinvestment 401(k) Plan

Remarks:

Reporting Person is Chairman of the Board of Donegal Group Inc. ("DGI"). Reporting Person is also President, CEO and Cha

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