

TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BESSETTE ANDY F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.  
[TRV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC., 385 WASHINGTON STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/22/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP and Chief Admin Officer

ST. PAUL, MN 55102

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/22/2011		M		25,000	A	\$ 42.88 53,614
Common Stock	02/22/2011		S		25,000	D	\$ 60.531 28,614 <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	02/22/2011		A <sup>(2)</sup>		9,930.62	A	\$ 0 38,544.62
Common Stock	02/22/2011		F		4,268	D	\$ 60.82 34,276.62
							1,222,488 <sup>(3)</sup> I

Common Stock						401(k) Plan
Common Stock			22 <sup>(4)</sup>	I		By Son

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
						Code	V (A) (D)		
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.88	02/22/2011		M	25,000	02/02/2008 02/02/2014	Common Stock	25,000	

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BESSETTE ANDY F  
THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.  
385 WASHINGTON STREET  
ST. PAUL, MN 55102

EVP and Chief Admin Officer

## Signatures

/s/Wendy C. Skjerven, by power of attorney 02/24/2011

\*\*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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- Represents the weighted average sales price for price increments ranging from \$60.50 to \$60.55. The Reporting Person undertakes to
- (1) provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
  - (2) Represents common stock paid out upon achievement of performance objectives contained in performance share rights granted in 2008.
  - (3) Includes common shares and shares of common stock that may be acquired upon the conversion of shares of Series B Preferred Stock, each of which is convertible into 8 shares of common stock.
  - (4) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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