WELLPOINT INC

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement WELLPOINT INC [WLP] À ROSENBLATT ALICE F (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2004 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 120 MONUMENT CIRCLE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer _ Other Person INDIANAPOLIS, ÂINÂ 46204 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Ι Common Stock 420 401(k)Â Common Stock 77,406 D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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3. Title and Amount of 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Deferred Comp Stock Units	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	378	\$ 0	D	Â
Deferred Comp Stock Units	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 0	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	09/30/2006	Common Stock	19,190	\$ 13.02	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/09/2007	Common Stock	7,442	\$ 13.43	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2010	Common Stock	3,626	\$ 27.57	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	06/03/2011	Common Stock	9,920	\$ 34.92	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2007	Common Stock	2,776	\$ 49.04	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	10/01/2006	Common Stock	2,143	\$ 49.04	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/11/2010	Common Stock	8,757	\$ 49.04	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(4)	02/06/2012	Common Stock	99,200	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2009	Common Stock	14,016	\$ 54.85	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2010	Common Stock	11,206	\$ 54.85	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(5)	02/04/2013	Common Stock	117,800	\$ 55.1	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/11/2008	Common Stock	1,665	\$ 59.98	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2009	Common Stock	7,703	\$ 59.98	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2010	Common Stock	1,668	\$ 59.98	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	10/01/2006	Common Stock	3,646	\$ 62.9	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	06/03/2011	Common Stock	5,849	\$ 62.9	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2009	Common Stock	18,020	\$ 62.9	D	Â

Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2007	Common Stock	12,891	\$ 62.9	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(6)	01/25/2014	Common Stock	74,400	\$ 82.06	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/10/2007	Common Stock	996	\$ 87.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	03/01/2011	Common Stock	15,093	\$ 87.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	01/31/2011	Common Stock	38,237	\$ 87.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	06/03/2011	Common Stock	7,145	\$ 87.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	02/12/2008	Common Stock	11,796	\$ 87.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	10/01/2006	Common Stock	381	\$ 87.72	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
ROSENBLATT ALICE F 120 MONUMENT CIRCLE INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	Â	Â	EVP	Â	

Signatures

Nancy L. Purcell 12/02/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Each deferred stock unit represents the right to receive, on a deferred basis under the Issuer's Comprehensive Executive Non-qualified

 (1) Retirement Plan, one share of the Issuer's common stock to be issued under the Issuer's 1999 Stock Incentive Plan upon the expiration of the deferral period. Each of the deferred stock units is currently vested.
 - Each deferred stock unit represents the right to receive, on a deferred basis under the Issuer's Comprehensive Executive Non-qualified Retirement Plan, one share of the Issuer's common stock to be issued under the Issuer's 1999 Stock Incentive Plan upon the expiration of
- (2) the deferral period. Each of the deferred stock units will vest in three successive equal annual installments, beginning January 26, 2005, subject to acceleration in the event the reporting person should terminate employment with the Issuer under certain prescribed circumstances.
- (3) These options are fully vested.
- (4) The options are vested with respect to 82,666 shares and will vest as to the remaining 16,534 shares on February 7, 2005.
- (5) The options are vested with respect to 58,900 shares and will vest as to the remaining 58,900 shares in three equal installments on February 5, 2005, August 5, 2005, and February 5, 2006.

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The options are vested with respect to 12,400 shares and will vest as to the remaining 62,000 shares in three equal installments on January 26, 2005, July 26, 2005, and January 26, 2006.

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