

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 \*  
Spence Kenneth Franklin III

(Last) (First) (Middle)

THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC., 385 WASHINGTON STREET

(Street)

ST. PAUL, MN 55102

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/28/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EVP & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	10/28/2009		M	5,000	A \$ 33.51	28,955	D
Common Stock	10/28/2009		S	5,000	D \$ 51.273	23,955	D
Common Stock	10/28/2009		M	4,045	A \$ 35.25	28,000	D
Common Stock	10/28/2009		S	4,045	D \$ 51.273	23,955	D
Common Stock						2,474.77 <sup>(3)</sup>	I 401(k) Plan

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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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.51	10/28/2009		M	5,000	<u>(1)</u> 10/04/2014	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.25	10/28/2009		M	4,045	04/01/2004 <sup>(2)</sup> 05/01/2010	Common Stock	4,045

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Spence Kenneth Franklin III THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC. 385 WASHINGTON STREET ST. PAUL, MN 55102			EVP & General Counsel	

**Signatures**

/s/Wendy C. Skjerven, by power of attorney 10/29/2009

\*\*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).

The option vested in the following increments: (i) 50% of the option shares vested on the second anniversary of the grant date,

(1) 10/04/2006; (ii) 25% of the option shares vested on the third anniversary, 10/04/2007, and (iii) 25% of the option shares vested on the fourth anniversary, 10/04/2008.

(2) The option vested in full on the effective date of the merger between The St. Paul Companies, Inc. (now known as The Travelers Companies, Inc.) and Travelers Property Casualty Corp.

(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.

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