#### SHANNON MICHAEL S

Form 4 May 24, 2007

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHANNON MICHAEL S			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSECO INC [CNO]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
								(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			V Di	100				
100 FILMORE STREET, SUITE			(Month/Day/Year)				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
600			05/15/2007					below)	below)	\ 1	
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	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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Person											
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								lly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deeme							5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Securities Form: Direct Indirect			
Security	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date							Securities	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any (Month	/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned	Beneficial Ownership			
		(IVIOIIII)	Duy/ I cui)	(mstr. o)				Following	(Instr. 4)		
					(A)		Reported				
						or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(IIISU. 3 aliu 4)			
Common	05/15/2007			P	10,959	A	(2)	34,659	D		
Stock				_	,			- 1,000			
Class B											
Preferred	05/15/2007			S	8,000	D	<u>(2)</u>	0	D		
Stock											
Common											
Stock	05/22/2007			A	3,557	A	<u>(1)</u>	38,216	D		

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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own 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			
SHANNON MICHAEL S							
100 FILMORE STREET	X						
SUITE 600	Λ						
DENVER, CO 80206							

## **Signatures**

Karl W. Kindig, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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) Stock award under the Conseco, Inc. 2003 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Class B Preferred Stock automatically converted to Common Stock effective 5/15/2007.

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