

# GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC

Reported by  
**PERREAULT MICHEL GILLES**

## FORM 3

(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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Address	6620 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230
Telephone	804-281-6000
CIK	0001276520
Symbol	GNW
SIC Code	6311 - Life Insurance
Industry	Insurance (Life)
Sector	Financial
Fiscal Year	12/31

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### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the  
Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *  <b>Perreault Michel Gilles</b>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) <b>3/2/2009</b>	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  <b>GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [GNW]</b>
(Last) (First) (Middle)  <b>C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC., 6620 WEST BROAD STREET</b>	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  ____ Director _____ 10% Owner ___ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ___ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) <b>SVP - Chief Risk Officer /</b>	
(Street)  <b>RICHMOND, VA 23230</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  _ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

#### Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

#### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>Perreault Michel Gilles C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC.  6620 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230</b>			<b>SVP - Chief Risk Officer</b>	

**Signatures**

/s/ Christine A. Ness, by power of attorney

3/6/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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