

GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC

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FORM 3

(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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Address	6620 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230
Telephone	804-281-6000
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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 * Schneider Kevin Douglas	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) 7/1/2008	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENWORTH FINANCIAL INC [GNW]
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC., 6620 WEST BROAD STREET	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) SVP - Genworth /	
(Street) RICHMOND, VA 23230 (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 <input type="checkbox"/> 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)
Class A Common Stock	1269	D	

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			
Stock Options (right to buy)	(1)	5/25/2014	Class A Common Stock	160000	\$19.50	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(2)	9/12/2013	Class A Common Stock	16905	\$20.1445	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	9/14/2004	3/14/2010	Class A Common Stock	4696	\$27.0467	D	
			Class A				

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Options (right to buy)	9/22/2005	9/22/2010	Common Stock	1566	\$36.6169	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	9/26/2005	7/26/2011	Class A Common Stock	7826	\$27.9518	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(3)	9/26/2011	Class A Common Stock	7826	\$22.6681	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	9/13/2007	9/13/2012	Class A Common Stock	4069	\$17.2822	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(4)	7/20/2015	Class A Common Stock	13800	\$32.1000	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(5)	8/9/2016	Class A Common Stock	15300	\$34.1300	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(6)	7/31/2017	Class A Common Stock	18900	\$30.5200	D	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(7)	2/13/2018	Class A Common Stock	25200	\$22.8000	D	
Restricted Stock Units	9/12/2008	9/12/2008	Class A Common Stock	1878	(12)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(8)	(8)	Class A Common Stock	3067	(12)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(9)	(9)	Class A Common Stock	3400	(12)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(10)	(10)	Class A Common Stock	4200	(12)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(11)	(11)	Class A Common Stock	5600	(12)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) 40,000 stock options vested on 5/25/2007 and 60,000 stock options vested on 5/25/2008. Remaining 60,000 stock options vest on

5/25/2009.

- (2) Vested 20% on each of 9/12/2004, 9/12/2005, 9/12/2006 and 9/12/2007. Remaining award vests 20% on 9/12/2008.
- (3) Vested 50% on each of 9/26/2004 and 9/26/2006.
- (4) Vested 20% on each of 7/20/2006 and 7/20/2007. Remaining award vests 20% on each of 7/20/2008, 7/20/2009 and 7/20/2010.
- (5) Vested 20% on 8/09/2007. Remaining award vests 20% on each of 8/09/2008, 8/09/2009, 8/09/2010 and 8/09/2011.
- (6) Vests in 20% annual increments beginning on 7/31/2008.
- (7) Vests in 20% annual increments beginning on 2/13/2009.
- (8) Vests and converts to Class A Common Stock: 50% on each of 7/20/2008 and 7/20/2010.
- (9) Vests and converts to Class A Common Stock: 50% on each of 8/09/2009 and 8/09/2011.
- (10) Vests and converts to Class A Common Stock: 50% on each of 7/31/2010 and 7/31/2012.
- (11) Vests and converts to Class A Common Stock: 50% on each of 2/13/2011 and 2/13/2013.
- (12) Restricted Stock Units settle in Class A Common Stock on a 1:1 basis.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Schneider Kevin Douglas C/O GENWORTH FINANCIAL, INC. 6620 WEST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230			SVP - Genworth	

Signatures

/s/ Christine A. Ness, Attorney-in-Fact

7/10/2008

** 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).

** 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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June 19, 2008

Securities and Exchange Commission
450 5th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20549
Re: Authorization to Sign Rule 16 Forms

To whom it may concern:

I will be Senior Vice President -- Genworth of Genworth Financial, Inc. ("Genworth") effective July 1, 2008 and, until further written notice, I hereby individually authorize Leon E. Roday (Genworth's Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary), Richard J. Oelhafen, Jr. (Genworth's Vice President and Assistant Secretary) and Christine A. Ness (Genworth's Assistant Secretary) to sign on my behalf a Form 3 and any Form 4 or Form 5 or related form that I have filed or may file hereafter in connection with my direct or indirect beneficial ownership of Genworth securities, and to take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which in his or her opinion may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Kevin D. Schneider

Kevin D. Schneider