

ROWE JOHN W  
Form 4  
May 03, 2005

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**ROWE JOHN W**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**151 FARMINGTON AVENUE**

(Street)

**HARTFORD, CT 06156**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

**AETNA INC /PA/ [AET]**

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

**05/02/2005**

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)

Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/02/2005                              |                                                             | <u>S(1)(2)</u>                          | V Amount (A) or (D) Price<br>3,400 D \$ 74.33                           | 0                                                                                                                  | I                                                                    | By<br>GRATS                                                       |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/02/2005                              |                                                             | <u>S(1)(2)</u>                          | 300 D \$ 74.35                                                          | 0                                                                                                                  | I                                                                    | By<br>GRATS                                                       |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/02/2005                              |                                                             | <u>S(1)(2)</u>                          | 300 D \$ 74.36                                                          | 0                                                                                                                  | I                                                                    | By<br>GRATS                                                       |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/02/2005                              |                                                             | <u>S(1)(2)</u>                          | 600 D \$ 74.45                                                          | 0                                                                                                                  | I                                                                    | By<br>GRATS                                                       |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/02/2005                              |                                                             | <u>S(1)(2)</u>                          | 200 D \$ 74.46                                                          | 0                                                                                                                  | I                                                                    | By<br>GRATS                                                       |

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|              |            |                |       |   |          |        |   |          |
|--------------|------------|----------------|-------|---|----------|--------|---|----------|
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 200   | D | \$ 74.48 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 300   | D | \$ 74.49 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 200   | D | \$ 74.51 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.54 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.55 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.58 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.61 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 700   | D | \$ 74.62 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 400   | D | \$ 74.66 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 400   | D | \$ 74.67 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 1,000 | D | \$ 74.68 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 800   | D | \$ 74.7  | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 600   | D | \$ 74.71 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 1,300 | D | \$ 74.75 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 1,600 | D | \$ 74.8  | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.83 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 900   | D | \$ 74.84 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 500   | D | \$ 74.89 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 300   | D | \$ 74.9  | 0      | I | By GRATS |
| Common Stock | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 1,100 | D | \$ 74.93 | 0      | I | By GRATS |
|              | 05/02/2005 | <u>S(1)(2)</u> | 300   | D |          | 22,000 | D |          |

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Common Stock \$ 74.96  
Common Stock 293.1 <sup>(3)</sup> I By 401(k)

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)

| 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | 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 |
| ROWE JOHN W<br>151 FARMINGTON AVENUE<br>HARTFORD, CT 06156 | X Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer |

## Signatures

John W. Rowe by Judith H. Jones,  
Attorney-in-Fact 05/03/2005  
\*\*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) The sale reported was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the John W. Rowe 2004 GRAT on March 4, 2005 and a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the John W. Rowe 2003 GRAT on March 4, 2005.

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- (2) THIS IS FORM 2 OF 2. The number of individual Table I line entries making up the sale reported exceeds the EDGAR system's limitations and, therefore, this filing is being made in two parts.
- (3) Represents the pro rata portion of the stock portion of Aetna Common Stock fund held by reporting person on April 29, 2005 pursuant to Aetna Inc. 401(k) Plan. The information is based on information provided by the Plan Trustee as of that date.

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