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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading TRUST FBO ALTSCHUL Issuer Symbol ARTHUR G JR UW ALTSCHUL **GENERAL AMERICAN** (Check all applicable) HELEN G **INVESTORS CO INC [GAM]** (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner __X__ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O OVERBROOK 04/18/2016 Ttee/Beneficiary is a Director MANAGEMENT CORP, 122 EAST

42ND STREET SUITE 2500

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10168

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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)
Common Stock	04/18/2016		S	500	D	\$ 31.5	5,685	D	
Common Stock	04/19/2016		S	1,500	D	\$ 31.6156	4,185	D	
5.95% Series B Preferred							2,000	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	Derivative			ies	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,	,				
					4, and 5)					
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									Amount	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	of		
									Number	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner

Officer Other

TRUST FBO ALTSCHUL ARTHUR G JR UW ALTSCHUL HELEN G C/O OVERBROOK MANAGEMENT CORP 122 EAST 42ND STREET SUITE 2500 NEW YORK, NY 10168

Ttee/Beneficiary is a Director

Signatures

Arthur G. Altschul, Jr.

04/20/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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