Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LONGO CHRISTOPHER			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Amtrust Financial Services, Inc. [AFSI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
	(First) UST FINAN, INC., 59 Mz D FLOOR		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2014	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Below) EVP, Chief Information Officer		
NEW YORI	(Street) K, NY 10038		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 Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	ed, 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)	4. Securit bor Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` '	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 (1)	11/11/2014		M	18,160	A	\$ 5.79	196,527	D	
Common Stock (1)	11/11/2014		M	3,420	A	\$ 12.0249	199,947	D	
Common Stock (1)	11/11/2014		M	3,420	A	\$ 9.42	203,367	D	
Common Stock (1)	11/11/2014		S	11,055 (2)	D	\$ 50.5065 (3)	192,312	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 5.79	11/11/2014		M		18,160	02/09/2007	02/09/2016	Common Stock	18,160
Stock Option	\$ 12.0249	11/11/2014		M		3,420	10/24/2008	10/24/2017	Common Stock	3,420
Stock Option	\$ 9.42	11/11/2014		M		3,420	06/30/2010	06/30/2019	Common Stock	3,420

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LONGO CHRISTOPHER C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. 59 MAIDEN LANE, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10038

EVP, Chief Information Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* 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 transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 31, 2014.
- (2) Shares sold to satisfy income tax withholding liabilities and payment of the option exercise price.
  - The price included in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from
- (3) \$50.25 to \$50.84 per share, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to AmTrust Financial Services, Inc. or any of its security holders, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 3.

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