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### FORM 4

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See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FLAGG JAMES C			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS INC/DE/ [HCC]					Is	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Month/	Date of Earliest Transaction  Ionth/Day/Year)  5/18/2007					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			A 	5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						y Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	3)	4. Securiti for Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	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	06/18/2007			M		18,750	A	\$ 18.33	21,250	D		
Common Stock	06/18/2007			S		18,750	D	\$ 33.7389	2,500	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 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 actionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		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
Option to Purchase (1)	\$ 18.33	06/18/2007		M		18,750	01/24/2003	01/24/2008	Common Stock	18,750
Option to Purchase (1)	\$ 21.37						12/20/2005	12/20/2009	Common Stock	18,750
Option to Purchase	\$ 16.8						01/03/2004	01/03/2009	Common Stock	37,500
Option to Purchase	\$ 30.85						01/05/2007	01/05/2011	Common Stock	12,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FLAGG JAMES C							
	X						

# **Signatures**

Edward H. Ellis, Jr. as Attorney in Fact for James C.

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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).

Date

- (1) Option to purchase granted pursuant to the 2001 Flexible Incentive Plan.
- (2) Option to purchase granted pursuant to the 2004 Flexible Incentive Plan.

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