OCONNOR PHILIP R

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

OCONNOR PHILIP R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DELPHI FINANCIAL GROUP

INC/DE [DFG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/05/2010

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title

Other (specify

C/O DELPHI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC., 590 MADISON AVENUE 30TH FL

(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 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Amount

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Class A

Stock

Common 05/05/2010 $A^{(1)}$

Code V

1,899

(A)

(D)

4,399

Price

(2)

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 proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to purchase Class A Common Stock	\$ 26.33	05/05/2010		A	5,697	05/01/2011(3)	05/05/2020	Class A Common Stock	5,697
Options to purchase Class A Common Stock	\$ 26.33	05/05/2010		A	5,697	08/03/2010(4)	05/05/2020	Class A Common Stock	5,697

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
OCONNOR PHILIP R C/O DELPHI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC. 590 MADISON AVENUE 30TH FL NEW YORK, NY 10022	X				

Signatures

Chad W. Coulter, Attorney-in-Fact for Philip R. 05/07/2010

Date

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * 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) Grant of restricted shares under the issuer's outside director stock plan; under the terms of such grant, the shares will vest in three substantially equal annual installments, beginning on May 1, 2011.

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- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Options, which were granted under the issuer's outside directors stock plan, become exercisable in three substantially equal annual installments, beginning on May 1, 2011.
- Options, which were granted under the issuer's outside directors stock plan, become exercisable in four substantially equal 90-day installments, beginning on August 3, 2010.

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