

Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Ungar Stephen

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AMTRUST FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., 59 MAIDEN LANE, 43RD FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10038

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.  
[AFSI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/23/2016

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)  
SVP, GC and Secretary

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

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              |   | 2,256<br>(1)  | A<br>(2)   | \$ 0  |
| Common Stock                    | 05/23/2016                           |  | F                              |   | 1,164<br>(3)  | D  | \$ 26.16  |
| Common Stock                    | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              |   | 3,072<br>(4)  | A<br>(5)   | \$ 0  |
| Common Stock                    | 05/23/2016                           |  | F                              |   | 1,585<br>(6)  | D  | \$ 26.16  |
|                                 | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              |   |   |  | \$ 0  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 167,585   |

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|              |            |  |   |               |           |          |         |   |
|--------------|------------|--|---|---------------|-----------|----------|---------|---|
| Common Stock |            |  |   | 3,320<br>(7)  | A<br>(8)  |          |         |   |
| Common Stock | 05/23/2016 |  | F | 1,382<br>(9)  | D         | \$ 26.16 | 166,203 | D |
| Common Stock | 05/23/2016 |  | M | 2,716<br>(10) | A<br>(11) | \$ 0     | 168,919 | D |
| Common Stock | 05/23/2016 |  | F | 1,401<br>(12) | D         | \$ 26.16 | 167,518 | 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 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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (13)   | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              | 2,256   | (14)   | (14)  | Common Stock  | 2,256                      |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (13)   | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              | 3,072   | (15)   | (15)  | Common Stock  | 3,072                      |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (13)   | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              | 3,320   | (16)   | (16)  | Common Stock  | 3,320                      |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (13)   | 05/23/2016                           |  | M                              | 2,716   | (17)   | (17)  | Common Stock  | 2,716                      |

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

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

SVP, GC and Secretary

## Signatures

/s/ Stephen  
Ungar

05/24/2016

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) As a result of AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.'s two-for-one stock split, 1,128 restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 23, 2012 that had not yet vested on February 2, 2016 became 2,256 restricted stock units.
- (2) Acquisition of common stock resulting from the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2012.
- (3) Disposition of common stock resulting from the withholding of securities for the payment of tax liability relating to the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2012.
- (4) As a result of AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.'s two-for-one stock split, 3,071 restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 23, 2013 that had not yet vested on February 2, 2016 became 6,142 restricted stock units.
- (5) Acquisition of common stock resulting from the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2013.
- (6) Disposition of common stock resulting from the withholding of securities for the payment of tax liability relating to the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2013.
- (7) As a result of AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.'s two-for-one stock split, 4,979 restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 23, 2014 that had not yet vested on February 2, 2016 became 9,958 restricted stock units.
- (8) Acquisition of common stock resulting from the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2014.
- (9) Disposition of common stock resulting from the withholding of securities for the payment of tax liability relating to the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2014.
- (10) As a result of AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.'s two-for-one stock split, 5,430 restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 23, 2015 that had not yet vested on February 2, 2016 became 10,860 restricted stock units.
- (11) Acquisition of common stock resulting from the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2015.
- (12) Disposition of common stock resulting from the withholding of securities for the payment of tax liability relating to the vesting of one-fourth of the restricted stock units granted to Mr. Ungar on May 23, 2015.
- (13) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.'s common stock.
- (14) On May 23, 2012, Mr. Ungar received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 25% on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date. As restricted stock units vest, the vested units are automatically converted to vested common stock on a one-for-one basis on the vesting date.
- (15) On May 23, 2013, Mr. Ungar received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 25% on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date. As restricted stock units vest, the vested units are automatically converted to vested common stock on a one-for-one basis on the vesting date.
- (16) On May 23, 2014, Mr. Ungar received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 25% on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date. As restricted stock units vest, the vested units are automatically converted to vested

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common stock on a one-for-one basis on the vesting date.

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