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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement MBIA INC [MBI] McKiernan Anthony (Month/Day/Year) 07/13/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O MBIA INC.. 113 KING (Check all applicable) **STREET** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting MD and CRO, MBIA Ins. Corp. Person ARMONK, NYÂ 10504 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 64,458 (1) Common Stock D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
		Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	02/07/2006	02/07/2012	Common Stock	1,500 (2)	\$ 52.81	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	10/07/2007	10/07/2012	Common Stock	5,000 (2)	\$ 36.72	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	02/12/2007	02/12/2013	Common Stock	1,250 (2)	\$ 36.69	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	02/10/2008	02/10/2014	Common Stock	1,500 (2)	\$ 64.84	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	02/12/2014	02/12/2016	Common Stock	50,000 (2)	\$ 4.02	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	03/04/2015	03/04/2017	Common Stock	150,000 (2)	\$ 5.05	D	Â

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McKiernan Anthony C/O MBIA INC. 113 KING STREET ARMONK, NY 10504	Â	Â	MD and CRO, MBIA Ins. Corp.	Â

## **Signatures**

/s/Andrew Hughes, Attorney-in-Fact 07/19/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Shares acquired prior to status as Reporting Person including a) 3,426 shares held in the Reporting Person's account; b) 8,000 shares of restricted stock granted at \$15.00 per share and vesting entirely in March 2013, 12,100 shares of restricted stock granted at \$4.02 per share and vesting entirely in February 2014, and 33,500 shares of restricted stock granted at \$10.48 per share and vesting entirely in March 2016; c) 2,432 shares held in employee 401(k) plan; and d) 5,000 shares held in non-qualified defined contribution retirement plan.
- (2) Options granted prior to status as Reporting Person.

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