### FEDERATED INVESTORS INC /PA/

Form 4

April 10, 2001

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility

Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 FORM 4  $\,$ 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF REPORTING PERSON\*

Frantzen Henry A. (LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

c/o Federated Investors, Inc.

Federated Investors Tower
(STREET)

Pittsburgh PA 15222-3779 (CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)

- 2. ISSUER NAME AND TICKER OR TRADING SYMBOL Federated Investors, Inc. FII
- 3. I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OF REPORTING PERSON, IF AN ENTITY (VOLUNTARY)
- 4. STATEMENT FOR MONTH/YEAR

2/2001

- 5. IF AMENDMENT, DATE OF ORIGINAL (MONTH/YEAR)
- 6. RELATIONSHIP OF REPORTING PERSON(S) TO ISSUER

(CHECK ALL APPLICABLE)

	Director	-			10%			
X	Officer	(give	title	below)		Other	(specify	below

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER - GLOBAL EQUITY AND FIXED INCOME OF FEDERATED GLOBAL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CORP., PASSPORT RESEARCH LIMITED, FEDERATED INVESTMENT COUNSELING AND FEDERATED INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COMPANY.

7.	INDI	VIDUAI	OR JO	CNIC	r/grou	JP FII	LING	(CHECK	APE	PLICABLE	LIMIT)
>	ζ	Form	filed	by	One 1	Report	ing	Person			
		Form	filed	bу	More	than	One	Reporti	ng	Person	

TABLE I -- NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date	3. on Transactio Code year)(Instr. 8)	on (A) (	or Dispose (Instr. 3,	ed of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)	
		Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	·	
Class B Common Stock	3/6/2001	М	25,000	A	\$1.286	67	
Class B Common Stock	3/6/2001	S	25,000	D	\$27.26	643	
Class B Common Stock	3/8/2001	М	27 <b>,</b> 000	A	\$1.286	57	
Class B Common Stock	3/8/2001	S	27,000	D	\$27.00	000	
Class B Common Stock	3/8/2001	М	50,000	A	\$1.286	57	
Class B Common Stock	3/8/2001	S	50,000	D	\$27.29	901	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	М	99,900	A	\$1.286	67	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	S	99,900	D	\$27.00	017	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	М	50,000	А	\$1.286	67	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	S	50,000	D	\$27.40	000	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	М	30,000	А	\$1.286	67	
Class B Common Stock	3/20/2001	S	30,000	D	\$27.23	17300,004	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction  $4\,(b)\,(v)$  .

FORM 4 (continued)

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/Yea	4. Transact Code (Ins	tr. 8) Derivat Securit Acquire	ive ies d (A) or d of (D)	6. Dat Exercis Expirat (Month/
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/6/2001	М		25,000	12/31/2
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/8/2001	М		27,000	12/31/2
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/8/2001	М		50,000	12/31/2
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/20/2001	М		99,900	12/31/2
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/20/2001	М		50,000	12/31/2
Employee Stock Options (Right to purchase)	\$1.2867	3/20/2001	М		30,000	12/31/2
7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)		e derivativ Beneficia	er of we Securities ally Owned at onth (Instr. 4)	10. Ownershi Derivative Se (D) or indire (Instr. 4)	curity:	

Title	Amount Number Shares	
Class B Common Stock	25,000	
Class B Common Stock	27,000	
Class B Common Stock	50,000	
Class B	99,900	

Common Stock

Class B 50,000

Common Stock

Class B 30,000 D 390,000

Common Stock

Explanation of Responses:

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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/S/ HENRY A. FRANTZEN APRIL 10, 2001

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date