

BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC
Form 13F-HR
February 14, 2001

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

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Name: Berkshire Hathaway Inc.
Address: 1440 Kiewit Plaza
Omaha, NE 68131

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Name: Marc D. Hamburg
Title: Vice President
Phone: 402-346-1400

(s) Marc D. Hamburg	Omaha, NE	February 13, 2001
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[Signature]	[City, State]	[Date]

☐ 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)

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General Re - New England Asset
Management, Inc.

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Form 13F SUMMARY PAGE

Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers:	18

Form 13F Information Table Entry Total:	61

Form 13F Information Table Value Total:	\$31,619,703

	(thousands)

Confidential Information has been omitted from the public Form 13F and filed separately with the Commission. Included in this information is information regarding Berkshire's positions in three securities (First Data Corporation, Gap Inc. and US Bancorporation) included in its September 30, 2000 public Form 13F.

List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

[If there are no entries in this list, state "NONE" and omit the column headings and list entries.]

NO.	FORM 13F FILE NUMBER	NAME
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1.	28-5678	Berkshire Hathaway Life Insurance Co. of Nebraska
2.	28-5676	BHG Life Insurance Co.
3.	28-719	Blue Chip Stamps
4.	28-554	Buffett, Warren E.
5.	28-1517	Columbia Insurance Co.
6.	28-2226	Cornhusker Casualty Co.
7.	28-6102	Cypress Insurance Co.
8.	28-852	GEICO Corp.
9.	28-101	Government Employees Ins. Corp.
10.	28-1066	National Fire & Marine
11.	28-718	National Indemnity Co.
12.	28-5006	National Liability & Fire Ins. Co.
13.	28-6104	Nebraska Furniture Mart
14.	28-717	OBH Inc.

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15.	28-2740	Plaza Investment Managers
16.	28-1357	Wesco Financial Corp.
17.	28-3091	Wesco Financial Ins. Co.
18.	28-3105	Wesco Holdings Midwest, Inc.

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Form 13F Information Table
December 31, 2000

Column 1 Name of Issuer	Column 2 Title of Class	Column 3 CUSIP Number	Column 4 Market Value (In Thousands)	Column 5 Shares or Principal Amount \$	Column 6 Investment Discretion			Column 7 Other Managed
					(a) Sole	(b) Shared-Defined	(c) Shared-Other	
American Express Co.	Com	025816 10 9	946,364 439,225 6,606,858 106,754 76,900 153,391	17,225,400 7,994,634 120,255,879 1,943,100 1,399,713 2,791,974		X X X X X X		4, 5, 1 4, 10, 4, 11, 4, 3, 1 16, 1 4, 13, 4, 14
Block H & R Citigroup	Com Com	093671 10 5 172967 10 1	318,523 3,172	7,697,500 62,121		X X		4, 11, 4, 1, 2 6, 11
Coca Cola	Com	191216 10 0	231,733 24,376 108,229 439,109 2,446,229 8,528,285 556,943 55,577 29,251	4,538,438 400,000 1,776,000 7,205,600 40,141,600 139,945,600 9,139,200 912,000 480,000		X X X X X X X X		4, 11, 4, 14 4, 12, 4, 3, 1 16, 1 4, 5, 1 4, 11, 4, 10, 4, 7, 1 4, 13,
Walt Disney Company	Com	254687106	9,213	318,342		X		4, 1, 2 11, 1
Dun & Bradstreet Corp.	Com	26483E 10 0	208,855 101,705	8,070,150 3,929,850		X X		4, 11, 4, 8, 9 11, 1
Furniture Brands Int'l GATX Corp.	Com Com	360921 10 0 361448 10 3	16,747 226,490 139,664	795,200 4,540,700 2,800,000		X X X		4, 11, 4, 11, 4, 8, 9 11, 1
Gannett Inc. The Gillette Co.	Com Com	364730 10 1 375766 10 2	229,337 2,167,800 751,504 231,232 231,232	3,636,800 60,000,000 20,800,000 6,400,000 6,400,000		X X X X X		4, 11, 4, 11, 4, 5, 1 4, 10, 4, 3, 1 16, 1

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				28,904	800,000	X	4, 12,
				57,808	1,600,000	X	4, 7, 1
Great Lakes Chemical Corp.	Com	390568 10 3		260,316	7,000,000	X	4, 8, 9 11, 1
Hertz Corp.	Com	428040 10 9		65,089	1,907,100	X	4, 11,
Johns Manville Corporation	Com	478129 10 9		61,942	4,786,900	X	4, 11,
				----- 25,858,757 -----			

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Jones Apparel Group Inc.	Com	480074 10 3	506,961	15,750,000		X		4, 8, 9 11, 1
La-Z-Boy	Com	505336 10 7	852	54,100		X		4, 11,
Liz Claiborne Inc.	Com	539320 10 1	203,758	4,894,500		X		4, 11,
M & T Bank Corporation	Com	55261F 10 4	407,800 37,128	5,997,060 546,000		X X		4, 11, 4, 8, 9 11, 1
Moody's	Com	615369 10 5	11,268 414,644 201,916	165,700 16,140,300 7,859,700		X X X		4, 10, 4, 11, 4, 8, 9 11, 1
Mueller Industries	Com	624756 10 2	86,250	3,217,100		X		4, 11,
Sealed Air Corporation	Com	81211K 10 0	131,299	4,304,900		X		4, 11,
	PFD CVA	81211K 20 9	17,934	556,100		X		4, 11,
Shaw Communications Inc.	ClB	82028K 20 0	329,894 23,000	14,343,200 1,000,000		X X		4, 8, 9 11, 1 4, 8, 1 14, 1
Shaw Industries	Com	820286 10 2	41,558	2,194,200		X		4, 11,
Sun Trusts Banks Inc.	Com	867914 10 3	364,228	5,781,400		X		4, 11,

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				54,180	860,000	X	4, 5, 1
Superior Industries							
Int'l	Com	868168 10 F		5,662	179,400	X	4, 8, 9
							11, 1
Torchmark Corp.	Com	891027 10 4		8,181	212,834	X	4, 1, 1
							14
				17,287	449,728	X	4, 5, 1
				29,645	771,200	X	4, 11,
				24,590	639,700	X	4, 10,
USG Corporation	Com	903293 40 5		146,250	6,500,000	X	4, 11,
Washington Post Co.	ClB	939640 10 8		551,678	894,304	X	4, 11,
				91,490	148,311	X	4, 1, 2
							6, 11
				399,840	648,165	X	4, 10,
				22,815	36,985	X	4, 12,
Wesco Finl Corp.	Com	950817 10 6	1,606,845		5,703,087	X	4, 3, 1
Zenith National							
Ins. Corp.	Com	989390 10 9		23,993	816,655	X	4, 11,

				5,760,946			

GRAND TOTAL				\$31,619,703			
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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: December 31, 2000

Check here if Amendment []; Amendment Number: _____
 This Amendment (Check only one.): [] is a restatement.
 [] adds new holdings entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: Berkshire Hathaway Life Insurance Co. of Nebraska
 Address: 3024 Harney St.
 Omaha, NE 68131

Form 13F File Number: 28-5678

The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Marc D. Hamburg
 Title: Assistant Secretary
 Phone: 402-346-1400

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Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

(s) Marc D. Hamburg	Omaha, NE	February 13, 2001
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[Signature]	[City, State]	[Date]

Report Type (Check only one.):

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List of Other Managers Reporting for this Manager:

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28-4545	Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: BHG Life Insurance Company
Address: 3024 Harney St.
Omaha, NE 68131

Form 13F File Number: 28-5676

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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Marc D. Hamburg
Title: Assistant Secretary
Phone: 402-346-1400

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Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

(s) Marc D. Hamburg	Omaha, NE	February 13, 2001
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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: Blue Chip Stamps
Address: 301 E. Colorado Blvd.
Pasadena, CA 91101

Form 13F File Number: 28-719

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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Marc D. Hamburg
Title: Assistant Secretary
Phone: 402-346-1400

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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: Warren E. Buffett
Address: 1440 Kiewit Plaza
Omaha, NE 68131

Form 13F File Number: 28- 554

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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Warren E. Buffett
Title:
Phone: 402-346-1400

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Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

(s) Warren E. Buffett	Omaha, NE	February 13, 2001
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