FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* ZARB FRANK G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP INC [(AIG)]										all app	onship of Reporting all applicable) Director		10% C	wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 65 EAST 55TH STREET 29TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2004											Offic	er (give title w)		Other below)	(specify	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indiv ine) X	'					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
Da					Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			l and Secur Benef		icially d Following	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (C	() or ()	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(
Common Stock (Deferred) 12/01					1/2004						125		A \$64		1.73 875		D				
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)	ative Conversion Date Executio		3A. Deems Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transaction Code (Instr		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiratio (Month/D	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount of Order of Order of Order of Order of Shares			ice of vative urity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Dire or In (I) (II	ership 1: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of shares pursuant to the American International Group, Inc. Director Stock Plan. Delivery is deferred until such time as the director has resigned or retired from the Board. Until delivery, there is no right to vote and no dividend rights.

Remarks:

By: /s/ Eric N. Litzky, by 12/02/2004 power of attorney for

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
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