FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SANDLER ROBERT MICHAEL					<u>A</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP INC [(AIG)]								eck all appli Directo V Officer	cable) or (give title	10% Owner give title Other (specify		/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC. 70 PINE STREET				C.	12	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2005								Executive Vice President				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10270				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)															
		Tak	le I - Nor	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or Be	neficiall	y Owned				
D. D.			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispos		Dispose	rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		Benefici	s ally following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11341.4)
Common Stock 1			12/0	06/200	/2005		G	V	1,655	5 D	\$0	319,828			D			
		-	Table II -									or Bendele		Owned			'	
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/Yea	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date		7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 al	g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration vate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$65.99	12/14/2005			A		35,000		(1)	1	2/14/2015	Common Stock	35,000	(1)	35,00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. These options were granted under the American International Group, Inc. Amended and Restated 1999 Stock Option Plan. Pursuant to the terms of the plan, 25% of the option becomes exercisable on the anniversary date of the grant in each of the four years following the grant.

Remarks:

By: /s/ Kathleen E. Shannon, by power of attorney for

12/15/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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