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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>HOENEMEYER FRANK J</u>					INC [(AIG)]								Director		10% Owner		ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 7 HARWOOD DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2004							-	Officer (below)	give title	Other (spe below)		pecify	
					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. In	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) MADISO	ON N	J	07940		4. It / Illicitations, Sale of Original Fied (Hondrisay) Feat)					Line								
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)	-							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date			ransacti te				3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)			d (A) or	or 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Foll		Form (D) or	Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		[(Instr. 4)		
			Table II - Der (e.ç					ired, Dis					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/Year	Code	action (Instr.	Deri Sec Acq or D of (I	erivative Expiration Date of Curities (Month/Day/Year) United (A)		7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and	ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$15.8024	12/21/2004		М			31,640 ⁽¹⁾	02/21/1996	5 (02/21/2005	Common Stock	31,640	(2)	0.00)	D		
Stock Option (Right to	\$25.6593	12/21/2004		М			21,093 ⁽³⁾	12/31/1997	, 1	12/31/2006	Common Stock	21,093	(4)	0.00)	D		

${\bf Explanation\ of\ Responses:}$

- 1. On December 21, 2004, Mr. Hoenemeyer exercised options with respect to 31,640 shares. Receipt of the 24,041 shares receivable upon exercise of the option (the shares exercised less the 7,599 shares used to satisfy the exercise price of the option) was deferred in accordance with a stock option deferral agreement dated December 18, 2003 between Mr. Hoenemeyer and AIG.
- $2.\ These\ options\ were\ granted\ pursuant\ to\ a\ Stock\ Option\ Agreement\ between\ Mr.\ Hoenemeyer\ and\ AIG\ dated\ Feburary\ 21,\ 1995.$
- 3. On December 21, 2004, Mr. Hoenemeyer exercised options with respect to 21,093 shares. Receipt of the 12,867 shares receivable upon exercise of the option (the shares exercised less the 8,226 shares used to satisfy the exercise price of the option) was deferred in accordance with a stock option deferral agreement dated December 18, 2003 between Mr. Hoenemeyer and AIG.
- 4. These options were granted pursuant to a Stock Option Agreement between Mr. Hoenemeyer and AIG dated December 31, 1996.

Remarks:

By: /s/ Kathleen E. Shannon, by power of attorney for 12/22/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- ** 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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