

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 1, 2005

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other
Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

1-8787
(Commission File Number)

13-2592361
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

70 Pine Street
New York, New York 10270
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 770-7000

(Former name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 7 - Regulation FD

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 1, 2005, American International Group, Inc. issued a press release reporting certain items to be included in fourth quarter and full year 2004 earnings. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.
(Registrant)

Date: February 1, 2005

By /s/ KATHLEEN E. SHANNON

Name: Kathleen E. Shannon
Title: Senior Vice President
and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

Description

99.1

Press Release of American International
Group, Inc. dated February 1, 2005.

NEWS

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AIG REPORTS ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR 2004 EARNINGS

NEW YORK, February 1, 2005 - American International Group, Inc. (AIG) reported today that its fourth quarter and full year 2004 earnings will include the following items:

- AIG will record a net after-tax charge of \$126.9 million, or \$0.05 per share, in connection with late reported losses from the third quarter hurricanes and typhoons. The charge is a result of the magnitude of damage from a rapid succession of storms and the shortages in labor and materials required for an efficient and timely rebuilding effort in Florida and other areas impacted by the storms. In the third quarter of 2004, AIG reported \$512.2 million in net after-tax catastrophe losses from hurricanes and typhoons.
- AIG will also record a net after-tax charge of \$43.6 million, or \$0.02 per share, from the South Asian earthquake and tsunamis.
- As previously reported on November 30, 2004, AIG reached a final settlement with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the United States Department of Justice and the United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana with respect to issues arising from certain transactions with Brightpoint, Inc., The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc. and related matters. In connection with this settlement, AIG will record an after-tax charge of \$53.0 million, or \$0.02 per share.

AIG will release its fourth quarter and 2004 earnings on Wednesday, February 9, 2005. On that date, AIG Chairman M.R. Greenberg will host a conference call for investors at 9:00 AM EST that also will be broadcast live over the Internet. The audio webcast of the conference call can be accessed at:

www.aigwebcast.com

The call will be archived at the same URL through Wednesday, February 23, 2005.

This press release contains forward-looking statements. Please refer to the AIG Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2004 and AIG's past and future filings and reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a description of the business environment in which AIG operates and the important factors that may affect its business. AIG is not under any obligation to (and expressly disclaims any such obligation to) update or alter its forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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American International Group, Inc. (AIG) is the world's leading international insurance and financial services organization, with operations in more than 130 countries and jurisdictions. AIG member companies serve commercial, institutional and individual customers through the most extensive worldwide property-casualty and life insurance networks of any insurer. In the United States, AIG companies are the largest underwriters of commercial and industrial insurance and AIG American General is a top-ranked life insurer. AIG's global businesses also include retirement services, financial services and asset management. AIG's financial services businesses include aircraft leasing, financial products, trading and market making. AIG's growing global consumer finance business is led in the United States by American General Finance. AIG also has one of the largest U.S. retirement services businesses through AIG SunAmerica and AIG VALIC, and is a leader in asset management for the individual and institutional markets, with specialized investment management capabilities in equities, fixed income, alternative investments and real estate. AIG's common stock is listed in the U.S. on the New York Stock Exchange and ArcaEx, as well as the stock exchanges in London, Paris, Switzerland and Tokyo.

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