Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## **OMB APPROVAL** NGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     NOTTINGHAM R KENDALL					<u>A</u> ]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP INC [ (AIG) ]								5. Relationship of Reporti (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title			10% Owner Other (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.  70 PINE STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2004								Executive Vice President						
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10270		_   4. I _	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Lir	ne) X Form Form	rvidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deri	vativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day.				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr			5) Secur Benef Owner	i. Amount of Securities Seneficially Owned Following Reported		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	iction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/06/2				/2004	004			M		10,546	A	\$25.98	52 8	80,025		D			
Common Stock												1	15,468			Held by wife <sup>(1)</sup>			
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)	rative   Conversion   Date   Execution Date, rity   or Exercise   (Month/Day/Year)   if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e s llly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$25.9852	05/06/2004			М			10,546	12/11/2	000	12/11/2006	Common Stock	10,546	(2)	0.000	0	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- 2. These options were granted under AIG's 1991 Employee 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

05/07/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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