FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NORA JOHNSON SUZANNE M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP INC [AIG]							licable) tor	Person(s) to Is	wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC. 2121 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 2600					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2009							belov	er (give title r)	below)	(specify	
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90067 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			3. Transacti Code (Ins	4. Secui Dispose 5)	ities Acquir d Of (D) (In	red (A) or str. 3, 4 ar	5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea	Coc	nsaction le (Instr.			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)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	le V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Deferred Stock Unit	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	01/14/2009		A		1,420		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	1,420	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	27,972	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of deferred stock units pursuant to the American International Group, Inc. Amended and Restated 2007 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Subject to the terms of the Plan and award agreement, shares of AIG Common Stock underlying the deferred stock units will be deliverable, without any cash consideration and conditions, on the last trading day of the month in which the director ceases to be a director of American International Group, Inc. The award includes dividend equivalent rights payable in the form of deferred stock units.

Remarks:

Suzanne Nora Johnson by Eric N. Litzky, Attorney-in-Fact

01/20/2009

** 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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