## FORM 4

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GREENBERG MAURICE R  |  |        |                              |   | AM                        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP  INC [ (AIG) ] |   |  |  |                           |   |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable)  X Director  Officer (give title |         |  |   | 10% O                |  |  |
|--|--|--------|------------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|---|--|--|---------------------------|---|---|--|---------|--|---|----------------------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.  70 PINE STREET  |  |        |                              | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2004 |                           |   |   |  |  |                           |   | X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chairman |  |         |  |   |                      |  |  |
| (Street) NEW YC  |  |        | 10270<br>(Zip)               |   | - 4. If                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  |   |  |  |                           |   |   | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X   | Form    | or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>rm filed by One Reporting Person<br>rm filed by More than One Reporting<br>rson |   |                      |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |        |                              |   |                           |   |   |  |  |                           |   |   |  |         |  |   |                      |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day   |  |        |                              | Execution Date,   |                           |   |   | es Acquired (A) or<br>Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar |  | nd 5) Securiti<br>Benefic |   | ities<br>icially<br>d Following                       | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)                    |         | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)  |   |                      |  |  |
|  |  |        |                              |   |                           |   |   |  | v  | Amount                    | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price   | Tra  |         | action(s)<br>3 and 4)  | tion(s)   |                      | (111501.4)   |  |
| Common Stock 12/1  |  |        | 12/15/                       | 2004  | 004                       |   |   | J <sup>(1)</sup>                             |  | 1,060                     | D   | \$15.   | \$15.3087  |         | 23,466,821   |   |                      | See<br>Rider 1   |  |
| Common Stock   |  |        |                              |   |                           |   |   |  |  |                           |   |   | 43,  | 465,631 | D  |   |                      |  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |        |                              |   |                           |   |   |  |  |                           |   |   |  |         |  |   |                      |  |  |
| Derivative Conversion Date Exe Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if ar   |  | if any | med<br>on Date,<br>Day/Year) |   | ransaction<br>ode (Instr. |   | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |  | 6. Date Exercisable<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                           | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>and 4) |   | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)   |         | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)                            | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | :<br>t (D)<br>lirect | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |  |        |                              |   | Code                      | v   | (A)   | (D)  | Date<br>Exercis  | sable                     | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   |         |  |   |                      |  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. See footnote 3 on Rider 1.

Remarks:

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

12/16/2004

\*\* 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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<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

## Rider 1

- 1. Mr. Greenberg is a trustee of the C.V. Starr & Co., Inc. Trust (the "Starr Trust"). Mr. Greenberg may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of, and to have a pecuniary interest in, shares of AIG common stock held by the Starr Trust. Mr. Greenberg disclaims the beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by the Starr Trust.
- 2. Mr. Greenberg owns 16.754% of the outstanding common stock of C.V. Starr & Co., Inc. ("Starr"). Mr. Greenberg may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of, and to have a pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock owned by Starr. Mr. Greenberg believes that any pecuniary interest he may have in the shares of AIG common stock held by Starr does not exceed the percentage of his common stock ownership of Starr. Accordingly, Mr. Greenberg has reported only his proportionate interest (i.e., 16.754%) of the transactions by Starr in AIG common stock. Mr. Greenberg disclaims the beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock owned by Starr.
- 3. Starr has 1984, 1989 and 1994 Employee Stock Option Plans (the "Starr SOPS"), under which certain key employees of Starr are granted options with respect to shares of AIG common stock. As discussed in footnote 2 above, Mr. Greenberg may be deemed the beneficial owner of, and to have a pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by Starr, including those held by Starr which are used to satisfy exercises under the Starr SOPs.
- As discussed in footnote 2 above, Mr. Greenberg believes that his pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by the Starr SOPs is limited to 16.754%, and Mr. Greenberg disclaims beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by Starr which are used to satisfy exercises under the Starr SOPs. On December 15, 2004, an individual exercised options with respect to 6,328 shares of AIG common stock.
- 4. Starr maintains a 1972 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "Starr Purchase Plan"), under which employees of Starr are given the right to subscribe for shares of AIG common stock. As discussed in footnote 2 above, Mr. Greenberg may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of, and to have a pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by Starr, including the shares held by Starr which are used to satisfy rights under the Starr Purchase Plan.
- As discussed in footnote 2 above, Mr. Greenberg believes that his pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by the Starr Purchase Plan is limited to 16.754%, and Mr. Greenberg disclaims beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by Starr which are used to satisfy rights under the Starr Purchase Plan.
- 5. Mr. Greenberg is a trustee of certain trusts for the benefit of his children and grandchildren. In addition, ownership of shares of common stock held by Mr. Greenberg's wife may be attributed to Mr. Greenberg. Mr. Greenberg disclaims the beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by these trusts and by his wife.
- 6. Mr. Greenberg is a partner of various limited and general partnerships. Beneficial ownership of, and any pecuniary interest in, the shares of AIG common stock held by these partnerships is disclaimed.