

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP INC

Form 4

September 24, 2008

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MATTHEWS EDWARDS E

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL
GROUP INC [AIG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
399 PARK AVENUE 17TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/24/2008

____ Director ____X____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

(Street)
NEW YORK, NY 10022

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	09/24/2008		S		82,507	D	\$ 5.2742	0	D
Common Stock	09/24/2008		S		23,500	D	\$ 5.2742	0	I
Common Stock								8,580,850	I
									See Footnote (1)
									See Footnote (2)

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

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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/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MATTHEWS EDWARDS E 399 PARK AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X

Signatures

/s/Mike F. Huang,
Attorney-in-Fact 09/24/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/Bertil P-H Lundqvist,
Attorney-in Fact 09/24/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) Prior to the transactions reported by this Form 4, Mr. Matthews' wife held 23,500 shares of American International Group, Inc. (?AIG?) common stock. Mr. Matthews may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of and to have a pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by his wife. Mr. Matthews disclaims beneficial ownership of and any pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by his wife.

(2) Mr. Matthews may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of and to have a pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by the C. V. Starr & Co., Inc. Trust (the ?CV Starr Trust?). Mr. Matthews disclaims beneficial ownership of and any pecuniary interest in the shares of AIG common stock held by the CV Starr Trust.

Remarks:

Mr. Matthews may be deemed to beneficially own more than 10% of the common stock of American International Group, Inc.

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