FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JACOBS TERRY S							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
MCODO TERRITO							AFG ]										X Director			10% O	wner	
-		·													Officer (give title			(specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)										belov	N)		below)		
ONE EAST FOURTH STREET							06/19/2008															
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
CINCINNATI OH 45202																	X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	City) (State) (Zip)										$\perp$		Pers	3011								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/Date)						ar)   I	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Cod	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				4 and Secu Bene		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Cod	de V	1	Amount		A) or D)	Price	)	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)			
Common	Stock		9/2008	2008			S			800		D	\$28.38		9,346			D				
Common	Stock	9/2008	2008			S	S		1,700		D	\$28.37		7,646			D					
Common	Stock													3.176			I	DRIP <sup>(1)</sup>				
			Table II -									ed of, on the second se					wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)				Expira	e Exerc ation D h/Day/	ate	ble and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deri Sec	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	F C O	LO. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Held in the issuer's Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "DRIP").

## Remarks:

Terry S. Jacob By: Karl J. Grafe, as Attorney-in-Fact

06/23/2008

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

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