FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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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* Gillis Michelle A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC AFG]											k all app Dired Offic	tor 10% Over (give title Other (s		Owner (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 301 E. FOURTH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2020										Α	Senior Vice President						
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Indi Line) X	Forn Forn	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative/	Se	curi	ities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efic	ially	Owne	ed				
					2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.						and Securi Benef Owner		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 02/25)				A		3,070(1)	A	\$0.00		34,029.38]	D		
Common Stock																	3,008.84(2)			I	ESPP	
Common Stock																	11.0597(3)			I	ESPP DRIP	
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date,	4. Transa Code (8)	Instr	on of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4) Amount or Number					9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or I (I) (vnership rm: ect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Represents the grant of restricted stock from the Issuer that vests four years from the date of grant.\\$
- 2. Shares owned by the reporting Person in the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "ESPP"). All ESPP information reporting herein is based on a plan statement dated as of 12/31/2019.
- 3. Represents shares purchased by the Reporting Person through dividend reinvestment with the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP"). All ESPP DRIP information reporting herein is based on a plan statement dated as of 12/31/2019.

Remarks:

Michelle A. Gillis By: Karl J. Grafe, as Attorney-in-Fact

02/27/2020

** 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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