JARVIS JOHN Form 4 November 01, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JARVIS JOHN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 470 EAST P	(First) (M	Middle)	[AMSWA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2012			_X_ Director Officer (gives		6 Owner er (specify	
(Street) ATLANTA, GA 30305			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-De	erivative S	ecurities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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)
Common							47,000	D	

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)

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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)	cution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities (Month/Day/		Underlying S		Securities	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 8.19	10/31/2012		A	3,000	10/31/2013	10/31/2018	Class A Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
·r·· g··· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director 10% Owner Officer		Officer	Other		
ARVIS JOHN						
470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD	X					
ATLANTA, GA 30305						

Signatures

Dr. John Jarvis 11/01/2012

**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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