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### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LINDNER CARL H III	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN FINANCIAL GROUP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	INC [AFG]	(Check an applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 301 EAST FOURTH STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2016	X Director 10% Owner Step Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
CINCINNATI, OH 45202		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

CINCINNATI, OH 45202				Person							
	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - N	on-	Derivative S	ed, 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)	Code	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactionDisposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Common Stock	05/04/2016		G	V	2,870	D	\$0	4,108,564 (1)	I	#1 (2)
	Common Stock	05/16/2016		G	V	200	D	\$0	4,123,053 (1)	I	#1 (2)
	Common Stock	08/04/2016		S		100,000	D	\$ 71.8139 (3)	4,023,053	I	#1 (2)
	Common Stock								37,648	I	#2 (4)
	Common Stock								1,348,500	I	#12 <u>(5)</u>

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Common Stock	1,449,094 (1) I	#26 <u>(6)</u>
Common	2,323,322 I	#29 <u>(7)</u>

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. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	5. In Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
rioporomg o whor runne v runn ess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LINDNER CARL H III 301 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202	X		Co-CEO & Co-President					

## **Signatures**

Carl H. Lindner III By: Karl J. Grafe, as
Attorney-in-Fact
08/08/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- On 3/31/2016, Indirect #26 transferred 9,355 shares of AFG Common Stock to Indirect #1 and on 6/30/2016, Indirect #26 transferred 14,689 shares of AFG Common Stock to Indirect #1.

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- (2) Indirect #1: CHL III, TTEE (or his Successors) of the Carl H. Lindner III Family Trust DTD 8/29/02 as Amended.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$71.505 to \$72.07, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to American Financial Group, Inc., ("AFG"), any security holder of AFG, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in the footnote (3).
- (4) Indirect #2: Martha S. Lindner, (or her Successor) of the Martha S. Lindner Family Trust DTD 8/30/02 as amended.
- (5) Indirect #12: Seraphim Partners LLC fka CHL Investments, LLC
- (6) Indirect #26: CHL III 2010-1 Qualified Annuity Trust DTD 4/9/10.
- Indirect #29: Shares voting and dispositive power and holds a remainder interest in shares held directly or indirectly by a charitable lead

  (7) annuity trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial interest of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in such shares

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