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obligation may conti <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	nue. Section 1	7(a) of the		ility Hold	ing Com	ipany	Act of	of 1935 or Section	on			
(Print or Type R	esponses)											
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN GREETINGS CORP				-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middla)	[AM]	E - ult4 Tur				_X_ Director	10	10% Owner		
(1			3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)05/12/2006					X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) President and C.O.O.				
	(Street)			ndment, Dat th/Day/Year)	-			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by		Person		
								Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed of	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Executio any		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) of l of (E 4 and (A) or)) 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)			
Class B Common Stock	05/12/2006			Code V M	Amount 4,227 (1)	(D) A	Price (2)	4,227	I	By Deferred Comp.		
Class B Common Stock								33,642	D			
Class B Common Stock								2,255	Ι	by Profit Shar.Plan		

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Class B Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	05/12/2006		М	4,227	05/12/2005 <u>(3)</u>	(3)	Class B Common Stock	4,227	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WEISS JEFFREY M C/O AMERICAN GREETING CORP ONE AMERICAN ROAD CLEVELAND, OH 44144	Х		President and C.O.O.				
Signatures							
By: Catherine M. Kilbane, Power of At Weiss	or: Jeffrey	05/15/2006					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Pers		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).
- (1) Represents shares issued upon the vesting of deferred Class B Common Stock described in Footnote 3 to this Report.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Pursuant to the 1997 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan, the derivative security granted entitled the reporting person to receive the underlying Class B Common Stock on May 12, 2006, the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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