#### AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC

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### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

Class A

Stock

Common

07/11/2011

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading EDENFIELD JAMES C Issuer Symbol AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC (Check all applicable) [AMSWA] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD 07/11/2011 President and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ATLANTA, GA 30305 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s)

Code V

 $C^{(1)}$ 

Amount

40,725

(D)

Price

<u>(2)</u>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

140,000

 $D^{(3)}$ 

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)	Code	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. P Deri Secu (Ins
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class B Common Stock	\$ 0 <u>(4)</u>	07/11/2011	С		40,725	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	40,725	\$

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
EDENFIELD JAMES C 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30305			President and CEO				

### **Signatures**

James C.
Edenfield

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O7/13/2011

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) On July 11, 2011, the Reporting Person converted 40,725 shares of Class B Common Stock into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Not Applicable.
- (3) 60,000 shares held by James C. and Norma T. Edenfield Foundation.
- (4) There is no exercise or conversion price for Class B Common Stock. Shares of Class B Common Stock may be converted immediately on a one-for-one basis by the holder into shares of Class A Common Stock.

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