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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(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 NEWBERRY THOMAS L V Issuer Symbol AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC (Check all applicable) [AMSWA] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD 03/12/2015 (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) (Z | Zip) Table | I - Non-De | erivative S | Securi | ties Acq | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------|--|--|---|----------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (msu. 3 and 4) | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 03/12/2015 | | C(1) | 3,000 | A | \$ 6.41 | 3,000 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 03/12/2015 | | C(1) | 3,000 | A | \$ 6.5 | 6,000 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 03/12/2015 | | S | 6,000 | D | \$ 9.75 (2) | 0 | 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)

| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number on Derivative Securities 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) | |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock | \$ 6.41 | 03/12/2015 | | C(1) | 3,000 | 07/31/2010 | 07/31/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 3,000 |
| Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock | \$ 6.5 | 03/12/2015 | | C(1) | 3,000 | 10/30/2010 | 10/30/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 3,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NEWBERRY THOMAS L V 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD X ATLANTA, GA 30305

Signatures

Thomas L. Newberry, V 03/16/2015

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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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 March 12, 2015, the Reporting Person converted 6,000 options into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) The Reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price for all transactions reported on this Form 4.

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