

JENSEN KEITH A  
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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 \*  
JENSEN KEITH A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMERICAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC [AFG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE EAST FOURTH STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/05/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr. Vice President

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/05/2006		M		13,750 A \$ 18.45	26,861	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S		200 D \$ 53.53	26,661	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S		400 D \$ 53.512	26,261	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S		200 D \$ 53.49	26,061	D
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S		1,000 D \$ 53.48	25,061	D

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Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	400	D	\$ 53.462	24,661	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	200	D	\$ 53.46	24,461	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,100	D	\$ 53.45	23,361	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,100	D	\$ 53.44	22,261	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,600	D	\$ 53.42	20,661	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,400	D	\$ 53.39	19,261	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,000	D	\$ 53.372	18,261	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,000	D	\$ 53.37	17,261	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,124	D	\$ 53.31	16,137	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1,800	D	\$ 53.3	14,337	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		S	1	D	\$ 53.29	14,336	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2006		G V	1,225	D	\$ 0	13,111	D	
Common Stock							0	I	401-K <sup>(1)</sup>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)		Title

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					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.45	12/05/2006	M	13,750	(2)	02/23/2013	Common Stock	13,750

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JENSEN KEITH A ONE EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202			Sr. Vice President	

## Signatures

Keith A. Jensen By: Karl J. Grafe, as  
Attorney-in-Fact

12/07/2006

\_\_\_\_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).
- (1) Totals as of 12/31/2005.

These Employee Stock Options ("Options") become exercisable as to 20% of the shares initially granted on the first anniversary of the

(2) date of grant, with an additional 20% becoming exercisable on each subsequent anniversary. The Options were granted under the Issuer's Stock Option Plan pursuant to Rule 16b-3.

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