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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Charney Dov Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AMERICAN APPAREL, INC [APP]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) __X_ Director __X_ 10% Owner

747 WAREHOUSE STREET 07/07/2011

__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify below)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90021

(Street)

(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 (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Reported Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock 07/07/2011 A 777,778 A \$ 45,700,866 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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of Derivative TransactionSecurities Acquired (A) Code or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Security			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Share
Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.9	07/07/2011		A	()	777,778	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	77′
Option (right to buy)	(2) (3)	07/07/2011		A	6,150,889		(2)(3)	(2)(3)	Common Stock	6,15

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Charney Dov							
747 WAREHOUSE STREET	X	X	Chief Executive Officer				
LOS ANGELES, CA 90021							

Signatures

/s/ Dov Charney 07/08/2011

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

Pursuant to a Purchase Agreement dated as of April 27, 2011 (the "Purchase Agreement") between the Issuer and the reporting person, subject to the receipt of stockholder approval for the issuance of the shares, the reporting person agreed to purchase from the Issuer 777,778 shares of common stock at a price of \$0.90 per share. The reporting person held sufficient shares of common stock of the Issuer to approve the issuance of the 777,778 shares of common stock without further affirmative votes from the other stockholders and reported this in Table II on the reporting person's Form 4 filed on April 29, 2011. On June 21, 2011, stockholder approval for the issuance of the

- (1) to approve the issuance of the 7/7,7/8 shares of common stock without further affirmative votes from the other stockholders and reported this in Table II on the reporting person's Form 4 filed on April 29, 2011. On June 21, 2011, stockholder approval for the issuance of the shares was received and the reporting person purchased 777,778 shares of common stock from the Issuer at a price of \$0.90 per share on July 7, 2011.
- Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, the reporting person will receive a right to receive up to an additional 25,319,988 shares of common stock as anti-dilution protection with respect to the issuance of shares of common stock to certain other investors in the Issuer in proportion to the exercise by such investors of their right to purchase up to an aggregate of 27,443,173 additional shares of common stock. On July 7, 2011, such investors exercised their right to purchase 6,666,666 shares of common stock and as a result the reporting person received a right to receive an additional 6,150,889 shares of common stock (the "Purchase Right Anti-Dilution Shares").
 - The Purchase Right Anti-Dilution Shares are issuable in three equal installments, one per each measurement period set forth below, subject to meeting the applicable average volume weighted closing price for 60 consecutive trading days, calculated as set forth in the Purchase Agreement ("VWAP") as follows: (i) for the measurement period from April 16, 2012 to and including April 15, 2013, if the
- (3) VWAP of the common stock during a period of 60 consecutive trading days exceeds \$3.25 per share; (ii) for the measurement period from but not including April 16, 2013 to and including April 15, 2014, if the VWAP of the common stock during a period of 60 consecutive trading days exceeds \$4.25 per share; and (iii) for the measurement period from but not including April 16, 2014 to and including April 15, 2015, if the VWAP of the common stock during a period of 60 consecutive trading days exceeds \$5.25 per share.

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