

AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC  
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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 \*  
NEWBERRY THOMAS L V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC  
[AMSWA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD

12/16/2013

(Street)

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

ATLANTA, GA 30305

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	12/16/2013		C(1)		3,000	A	\$ 9.29
					3,000		
Class A Common Stock	12/16/2013		C(1)		3,000	A	\$ 6.16
					6,000		
Class A Common Stock	12/16/2013		C(1)		286	A	\$ 5.55
					6,286		
Class A Common	12/16/2013		S		6,286	D	\$ 0
							10.0202

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Stock					(2)	(5)	
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2013	C <sup>(3)</sup>	2,714	A	\$ 5.55	2,714	D
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2013	C <sup>(3)</sup>	3,000	A	\$ 5.48	5,714	D
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2013	C <sup>(3)</sup>	3,000	A	\$ 6.39	8,714	D
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2013	C <sup>(3)</sup>	2,492	A	\$ 6.04	11,206	D
Class A Common Stock	12/17/2013	S	11,206	D	\$ 9.9201 (4) (5)	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. 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 9.29	12/16/2013		C	3,000	01/31/2009 01/31/2014	Class A Common Stock	3,000
Options to Acquire	\$ 6.16	12/16/2013		C	3,000	04/30/2009 04/30/2014	Class A Common Stock	3,000

Class A Common Stock										
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 5.55	12/16/2013	C	286	04/30/2010	04/30/2015	Class A Common Stock	286		
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 5.55	12/17/2013	C	2,714	04/30/2010	04/30/2015	Class A Common Stock	2,714		
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 5.48	12/17/2013	C	3,000	01/29/2011	01/29/2016	Class A Common Stock	3,000		
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 6.39	12/17/2013	C	3,000	04/30/2011	04/30/2016	Class A Common Stock	3,000		
Options to Acquire Class A Common Stock	\$ 6.04	12/17/2013	C	2,492	10/29/2011	10/29/2016	Class A Common Stock	2,492		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NEWBERRY THOMAS L V 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30305	X			

## Signatures

Thomas L.  
Newberry, V

12/16/2013

Date

\_\_Signature of 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).
- (1) On December 16, 2013, the Reporting Person converted a total of 6,286 options into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Represents the weighed average sales price for price increments ranging from \$10.00 to \$10.08.
- (3) On December 17 2013, the Reporting Person converted a total of 11,206 options into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (4) Represents the weighed average sales price for price increments ranging from \$9.85 to \$10.00.
- (5) The Reporting Person undertakes to provide, upon request from the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, and a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price for all transactions reported on this Form 4.

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