

WEISS MORRY  
Form 4  
May 04, 2010

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**WEISS MORRY**

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**AMERICAN GREETINGS CORP**  
**[AM]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE AMERICAN ROAD**  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**04/30/2010**

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

**CLEVELAND, OH 44144**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
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☐ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class B Common Shares	04/30/2010		D	200,000 (1)	\$ 25.33	252,803	D
Class B Common Shares	05/03/2010		A	2,300 (2)	\$ 0	255,103	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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 24.69	05/03/2010		A		9,000	<u>(3)</u> 05/03/2020	Class B Common Shares 9,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WEISS MORRY ONE AMERICAN ROAD CLEVELAND, OH 44144	X	X	Chairman	

## Signatures

Catherine M. Kilbane, Power of Attorney for Morry Weiss 05/04/2010

\_\_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) The shares were sold to American Greetings Corporation in accordance with its Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation.

Represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 3, 2010. The restricted stock units will vest and shares will be issued with respect to 50% on the first and second anniversaries of the grant date, based on the continued employment of the reporting person.

(3) This option will vest equally on each of the first and second anniversaries of the date of grant.

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