EDENFIELD J MICHAEL

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * EDENFIELD J MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC

(Check all applicable)

[AMSWA]

(Last) (First)

470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Instr. 8)

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

09/26/2011

X_ Officer (give title below)

Executive VP

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

ATLANTA, GA 30305

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Person

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

374,629

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

D

Class A Common Stock

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 Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out f 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	\$ 5.69	09/26/2011		M	5,000	10/10/2006	10/10/2011	Class A Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 3	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
EDENFIELD J MICHAEL 470 EAST PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30305			Executive VP			

Signatures

J Michael
Edenfield

**Signature of Reporting Person

O9/28/2011

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).

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