FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Ambrecht Kenneth C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN FINANCIAL GROUP INC AFG ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 301 EAST FOURTH STREET							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2016										belov	N)		below)	
(Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
			Tabl	e I - Nor	ı-Deri\	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally C	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Day/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Second Sec		cially I Following	Form (D) o	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
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Common Stock 06/01/						1/201	/2016		A		1,773		A	(1)		31,541			D		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents a grant of restricted stock issued under the Company's Non-Employee Director's Compensation Plan.
- 2. Shares held under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan as of December 31, 2015.

## Remarks:

Kenneth C. Ambrecht By: Karl J. Grafe, as Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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