

AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
MASSENGILL R SCOTT

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC., ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE

(Street)

PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC [ASD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, \$.01 par value (1)	03/01/2005		M	25,000	A \$ 19.53	25,000	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/01/2005		S	16,000	D \$ 46.1	9,000	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/01/2005		S	3,000	D \$ 46.11	6,000	D

Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/01/2005	S	6,000	D	\$ 46.16	0	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value						2,590.001	I	ESOP ⁽²⁾

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Exercise of Stock Option ⁽¹⁾	\$ 19.53	03/01/2005		M	25,000	04/02/2002 ⁽³⁾ - 04/02/2011	Common Stock, \$.01 par value	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MASSENGILL R SCOTT C/O AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC. ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855			VP and Treasurer	

Signatures

R. Scott Massengill (By M. Cresitello by Power of Attorney)

03/02/2005

__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) Shares reflect a three-for-one stock split effective May 27, 2004, exempt pursuant to Rule 16a-9.
- (2) Includes shares held in ESOP and Savings Plan.
- (3) Original grant of 120,000 options became exercisable in three equal installments beginning April 2, 2002.
- (4) Issued in connection with employment.

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