

KISSEL W CRAIG
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FORM 4

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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 *
KISSEL W CRAIG

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC., ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/23/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

(Street)
PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855

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

(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 | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value ⁽¹⁾ | 10/23/2006 | | M | | 93,456 | A | \$ 13.75 |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 10/23/2006 | | S | | 93,456 | D | \$ 43.375 |
| Common Stock, | | | | | | | 20,371.73 |
| | | | | | | I | ESOP/Savings Plan ⁽³⁾ |

\$.01 par value

Common Stock, \$.01 par value

11,787.2813 I

ESPP ⁽⁴⁾

Common Stock, \$.01 par value

19,298.94 I

TNE/LTIP ⁽⁵⁾

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) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Exercise of Option ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 13.75 | 10/23/2006 | | M | 93,456 | 02/02/1998 02/02/2007 | Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 93,456 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

KISSEL W CRAIG
C/O AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC.
ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE
PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855

Relationships

| | | | |
|----------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| | | Senior Vice President | |

Signatures

/s/ W. Craig Kissel (By M. Cresitello by Power of Attorney)

10/24/2006

__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) Reflects average sales price for shares.
 - (3) Includes shares held in ESOP and Savings Plan.
 - (4) Represents shares purchased pursuant to the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
 - (5) Reflects shares held under prior incentive plan. Shares are not transferable until employment ends.
 - (6) Issued in connection with employment.

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