EDENFIELD JAMES C

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * EDENFIELD JAMES C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC [AMSWA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 470 EAST PA	(First) CES FERRY	(Middle) Y RD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ATLANTA, GA 30305				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		ies Acquired sposed of (D) 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	12/06/2017		Code V M(1)	Amount 10,700	or (D)	Price \$ 8.97	(Instr. 3 and 4) 70,700	D	
Stock Common Stock	12/06/2017		S(2)	10,700	D	\$ 11.85	60,000	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on 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
Stock Option	\$ 8.97	12/06/2017		M <u>(1)</u>	10,700	(3)	07/11/2019	Common Stock	10,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EDENFIELD JAMES C 470 EAST PACES FERRY RD ATLANTA, GA 30305

Executive Chairman

Signatures

James C. Edenfield 12/07/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) On December 6, 2017, the Reporting Person converted 10,700 options into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) On December 6, 2017, the Reporting Person sold 10,700 shares of Class A Common stock.
- (3) Vests 12,000 share(s) on 11-Jul-2014, 12,000 share(s) on 11-Jul-2015, 12,000 share(s) on 11-Jul-2016, 12,000 share(s) on 11-Jul-2017, 12,000 share(s) on 11-Jul-2018

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