POSES FREDERIC M

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * POSES FREDERIC M

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) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2007

below)

_X__ Director

Chairman & CEO

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

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

234,191

D

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

S

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855

value (1)

Stock,

Common 05/23/2007

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit over Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` '	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)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value (1)	05/23/2007		M	50,000	` ,	\$ 12.79	284,191	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par	05/23/2007		S	35,100	D	\$ 58.5676 (2)	249,091	D	

14.900 D

\$

58.6786

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\$.01 par value	(2)					
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	4,893	3.662 I	ESOP/Savings Plan (3)			
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	3,000) I	By Children/Spouse			
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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Exercise of Stock Option (1)	\$ 12.79	05/23/2007		M	50,000	10/06/2000(4)	10/06/2009	Common Stock, \$.01 par value	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
POSES FREDERIC M						
C/O AMERICAN STANDARD COMPANIES INC.	X		Chairman			
ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE	Λ		& CEO			
PISCATAWAY, NJ 08855						

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/s/ Frederic M. Poses (By M. Cresitello by Power of Attorney)

05/24/2007

**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) Transaction executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan.
- (2) Reflects average sales price for shares.
- (3) Includes shares held in the ESOP and Savings Plan.
- Original grant of 3,000,000 options became exercisable in three equal installments beginning October 6, 2000. Under the terms of the grant, these options will expire upon the earlier of October 6, 2009 or 90 days after the date of Mr. Poses? retirement.
- (5) Issued in connection with employment.

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