

Ervin Laura Lynne
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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 *
 Ervin Laura Lynne

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AMERICAN SAFETY
 INSURANCE HOLDINGS LTD
 [ASI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Interim CFO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 100 GALLERIA PARKWAY
 SE, SUITE 700
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 09/30/2009

ATLANTA, GA 30339
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
 10/09/2009

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 09/30/2009 | 09/30/2009 | A | (A) V Amount 2,813 (1) | \$ 15.8 | 2,972 | D |
| Common Stock | 09/30/2009 | 09/30/2009 | F(2) | 913 | \$ 15.8 | 2,059 | 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. 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 |
| Stock Option (Right To Buy) | \$ 19.68 | 09/30/2009 | 09/30/2009 | A | | 3,000 | | 09/30/2009 ⁽³⁾ | 12/30/2009 | Common Stock | 3,000 |
| Stock Option (Right To Buy) | \$ 17.95 | 09/30/2009 | 09/30/2009 | A | | 1,000 | | 09/30/2009 ⁽³⁾ | 12/30/2009 | Common Stock | 1,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Ervin Laura Lynne 100 GALLERIA PARKWAY SE SUITE 700 ATLANTA, GA 30339 | | | Interim CFO | |

Signatures

/s/ Laura L. Ervin 10/09/2009
 **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 issued as part of the Company's 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Scheduled vesting was accelerated as part of the 09-18-2009 Separation Agreement.
- (2) 913 shares surrendered @ \$15.80 per share for withholdings on 2813 shares vested (1900 net shares).
- (3) Vesting for options was accelerated as part of the 09-18-2009 Separation Agreement.

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