

AMERICAS CARMART INC  
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**FORM 4** 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 \*  
 SLUSSER MARK D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AMERICAS CARMART INC  
 [CRMT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 251 O'CONNOR RIDGE  
 BLVD., SUITE 100  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/12/2005

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Financial Officer

IRVING, TX 75038  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)	
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/12/2005		M		10,000	A		\$ 8.7667 (1)
Common Stock	09/13/2005		S		10,000	D		\$ 20.3
Common Stock	09/13/2005		G		1,000	D		\$ 0 59,525

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.7667 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/13/2005		M	10,000	<sup>(2)</sup> 05/01/2012	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SLUSSER MARK D 251 O'CONNOR RIDGE BLVD. SUITE 100 IRVING, TX 75038			Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Helen T. Ferraro, Pursuan to a Power of Attorney  
Date: 09/14/2005

\_\_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) All numbers have been adjusted to reflect the 3 for 2 stock split in the form of a 50% dividend on April 14, 2005.
- (2) This option vests in three equal installments commencing April 30, 2003.

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