

American Water Works Company, Inc.  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 MACKENZIE GEORGE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 American Water Works Company, Inc. [AWK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/28/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD

(Street)

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

VOORHEES, NJ 08043

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |       |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-------|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or Price (A) or (D)  |  |                                   |       |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/28/2008                           |  | P                              |   | 1,000<br><u>(1)</u>   | A  | \$ 21.5                           | 1,000 | D |
| Common Stock                    | 04/28/2008                           |  | P                              |   | 100   | A  | \$ 20.6                           | 1,100 | D |
| Common Stock                    | 04/28/2008                           |  | A                              |   | 1,302<br><u>(2)</u>   | A  | \$ 0                              | 2,402 | 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Non-Employee Director Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 21.5  | 04/28/2008                           |  | A                              | 9,906   | 01/01/2011 12/31/2014                                    | Common Stock 9,906  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MACKENZIE GEORGE<br>1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD<br>VOORHEES, NJ 08043 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/S/ Karen K. Pettiford-Wilson as Attorney-in-Fact pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed

04/29/2008

\_\_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) Represents shares purchased pursuant to American Water Works Company, Inc.'s Reserved Share Program upon the closing of its initial public offering.
- (2) Represents restricted stock units awarded in connection with the initial public offering of American Water Works Company, Inc. The restricted stock units will vest on January 1, 2011.

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