

WINTEMUTE GLENN A

Form 4

November 02, 2007

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
WINTEMUTE GLENN A

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
AMERICAN VANGUARD CORP  
[AVD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4695 MACARTHUR COURT,  
SUITE 1250

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/01/2007

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

(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

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |           |   |                            |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|---|----------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V                                                                   | Amount                                                                                                             | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                        | Price                                                             |           |   |                            |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 11/01/2007                              |                                                             | S <sup>(1)</sup>                        |                                                                     | 37,500                                                                                                             | D                                                                       | \$<br>16.94<br><sup>(2)</sup>                                     | 1,607,586 | I | See Note<br><sup>(3)</sup> |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 11/01/2007                              |                                                             | G <sup>(4)</sup>                        | V                                                                   | 17,500                                                                                                             | D                                                                       | \$ 0                                                              | 1,590,086 | I | See Note<br><sup>(3)</sup> |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repor<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
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|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                          | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                        | Title                                               | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                      |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WINTEMUTE GLENN A  
4695 MACARTHUR COURT, SUITE 1250 X  
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

## Signatures

/s/ Glenn A.  
Wintemute 11/02/2007

\*\*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) Reporting person sold the shares pursuant to a 10b5-1 selling plan dated September 14, 2007.
- (2) This figure represents the average selling price of multiple sales made over the course of the trading day; trade details of individual sales are attached hereto.
- (3) These shares are held in a family trust in which the reporting person is a trustee.
- (4) These shares were irrevocably gifted to a charitable remainder trust in which reporting person has no voting control or investment control.

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