DANZIGER DAVID C.

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DANZIGER DAVID C. | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|---|--|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | AMERICAN APPAREL, INC [APP] | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (| | | |

C/O AMERICAN APPAREL, INC., 747 WAREHOUSE STREET

(State)

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

(Street)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

04/02/2012

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90021

(City)

| (City) | (State) | Table | e I - Non-Do | erivative So | ecuritie | es Acq | uired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | ly Owned | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|--|
| 1.Title of | | Γransaction Date 2A. Deemed | | 3. 4. Securities Acqu | | | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | | |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | | on(A) or Disposed of | | | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | ode (D) | | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial | | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | / A N | | Reported | | | | |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stock, \$.0001 par value | 04/02/2012 | | A | 35,284 | A | \$ 0 | 35,284 | D | | |

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------|---|---------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | Amou Under Securi (Instr. | rlying | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DANZIGER DAVID C. C/O AMERICAN APPAREL, INC. 747 WAREHOUSE STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90021

X

Signatures

/s/ Glenn A. Weinman, attorney-in-fact for David C. Danziger

04/03/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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