FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Find of Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address AL ATHEL FAH SALEH	D Symbol ARABL	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARABIAN AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT CO [ARSD]					•	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
P.O. BOX 4900	(Month/E	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2010						below)			
(S RIYADH, TO 114		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (S	Table	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui					ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
(Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye	,	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8 Code		4. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, Amount	1 (A) d of ( 4 and (A) or	D)	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock	12/28/2010			Р		6,661	А	\$ 4.24	3,995,246	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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5.		6. Date Exe	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature				
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	n Nu	nber	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect				
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	erlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial				
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Der	ivative	,		Securities		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership				
	Derivative				Sec	urities							(Inst	r. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				Aco	quired			4)			Following	Direct (D)					
					(A)	or						Reported	or Indirect					
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							Date	Expiration		or								
							Exercisable Date		Title	Number								
										of								
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Shares								

# **Reporting Owners**

Demosting Oppman Names / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
AL ATHEL FAHAD MOHAMMED SALEH P.O. BOX 4900 RIYADH, T0 11412		Х					

### **Signatures**

Fahad Al-Athel	12/29/2010
**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).

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