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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement ARMSTRONG WORLD INDUSTRIES INC [AWI] **Â** Grizzle Victor (Month/Day/Year) 01/17/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2500 COLUMBIA AVENUE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person LANCASTER, PAÂ 17603 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Exec VP, Armstrong Bdg Product Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock (1) 5,862 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	•		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	
					Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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

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Shares (I)

(Instr. 5)

 (2) 01/17/2021 Stock Options (2)

Common Stock

\$ 42.65 14,385

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Grizzle Victor

2500 COLUMBIA AVENUE LANCASTER, Â PAÂ 17603

Exec VP, Armstrong Bdg Product

Signatures

/s/ Mary J. Huwaldt, POA for Victor Grizzle

01/21/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Represents restricted stock units granted under 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The restrictions will lapse and the units will vest in three installments as follows: 1,954 shares on January 16, 2012; 1,954 shares on January 16, 2013; and 1,954 shares on January 16, 2014

- (1) (contingent upon the officer's employment on the scheduled vesting dates). Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of common stock; however, the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the Company may settle the restricted stock units in cash if insufficient shares are available at the end of the restriction periods.
- The options are non-qualified and have a ten-year term starting January 17, 2011. The options will vest in four equal installments as follows: 4,795 shares on January 17, 2011; 4,795 shares on January 17, 2012; 4,795 shares on January 17, 2013; and 4,795 shares on January 17, 2014. Each stock option entitles the holder to purchase one share of AWI common stock at an exercise price equal to \$42.65, which may be paid in cash or by delivering shares of AWI stock the holder has owned for at least six months.

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