

SMITH KEVIN MARK

Form 3

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FORM 3**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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response... 0.5**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

SMITH KEVIN MARK

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

ONE DAUCH DRIVE

(Street)

DETROIT, MI 48211-1198

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

11/01/2010

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMERICAN AXLE & MANUFACTURING
HOLDINGS INC [AXL]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner

☒ Officer ____ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

VP Program Management &
Launch

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting
Person____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

21,094

D

A

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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currently valid OMB control number.****Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	04/02/2011	Common Stock	9,000	\$ 8.85	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	01/23/2012	Common Stock	9,500	\$ 24.15	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	01/22/2013	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 23.73	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/02/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 38.7	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (2)	06/25/2018	Common Stock	8,500	\$ 10.08	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH KEVIN MARK ONE DAUCH DRIVE DETROIT,Â MIÂ 48211-1198	Â	Â	Â VP Program Management & Launch	Â

Signatures

Laura L. Douglas,
Attorney-in-fact

11/10/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The options are fully vested.

(2) 5,695 of these options are fully vested; the remainder vest on March 14, 2011.

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