SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of earliest event reported: June 25, 2001

> American Airlines, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-2691 13-1502798 (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

4333 Amon Carter Blvd.Fort Worth, Texas76155(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

(817) 963-1234
(Registrant's telephone number)

Item 5. Other Events

American Airlines, Inc. ("American", a wholly owned subsidiary of AMR Corporation) is filing herewith a press release issued by American on June 25, 2001 as Exhibit 99.1 which is included herein. This press release was issued in response to the White House announcement of the appointment of a Presidential Emergency Board to intervene in American's negotiations with the Association of Professional Flight Attendants if a negotiated settlement has not been reached by 12:01 am. EDT on July 1, 2001.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following exhibits are included herein:

99.1 Press Release

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

American Airlines, Inc.

/s/ Charles D. MarLett Charles D. MarLett Corporate Secretary

Dated: June 26, 2001

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release

Contact: Corporate Communications Fort Worth, Texas 817-967-1577

FOR RELEASE: Monday, June 25, 2001

STATEMENT OF AMERICAN AIRLINES IN RESPONSE TO WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRESIDENTIAL EMERGENCY BOARD APPOINTMENT

FORT WORTH, Texas - The White House confirmed today that President Bush will appoint a Presidential Emergency Board (PEB) to intervene in our negotiations with the Association of Professional Flight Attendants (APFA) if a negotiated settlement has not been reached by 12:01 a.m. EDT on July 1.

The Administration's action today should strongly reassure the traveling public that there is no possibility that a strike could disrupt our operations during the busy summer travel season, allowing our customers to book American with confidence.

While the Administration is taking decisive action to avoid a strike, our efforts will continue to be focused on reaching a negotiated agreement with the APFA. Our talks resume in Washington on June 28, and we still believe that a negotiated agreement will provide the best outcome for our flight attendants and the company.

We are committed to providing our flight attendants with an industry-leading contract, and several options to achieve that goal remain on the table today. We want to conclude an agreement now, and hope the APFA will join us in bringing our flight attendants the best contract in the industry.

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