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UNITED STATES 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: January 5, 2011

AMR CORPORATION _ (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-8400 75-1825172 _ (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

4333 Amon Carter Blvd. Fort Worth, Texas 76155 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(817) 963-1234

(Registrant's telephone number)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

AMR Corporation is filing herewith a press release issued on January 5, 2011 by American Airlines, Inc. as Exhibit 99.1, which is included herein. This press release was issued to report December traffic for American Airlines, Inc.

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.

AMR CORPORATION

/s/ Kenneth W. Wimberly Kenneth W. Wimberly Corporate Secretary

Dated: January 5, 2011

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release

CONTACT: Corporate Communications Fort Worth, Texas 817-967-1577 mediarelations@aa.com

FOR RELEASE: Wednesday, Jan. 5, 2011

AMERICAN AIRLINES REPORTS DECEMBER TRAFFIC

FORT WORTH, Texas – American Airlines reported that December traffic increased 1.8 percent and capacity increased 1.8 percent year over year. December load factor was 80.6 percent, matching the same period last year. Domestic traffic increased 0.5 percent year over year on 0.4 percent more capacity. International traffic increased by 3.9 percent relative to last year on a capacity increase of 4.0 percent. American boarded 7.1 million passengers in December.

Detailed traffic and capacity are attached.

AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER DIVISION COMPARATIVE PRELIMINARY TRAFFIC SUMMARY EXCLUDES CHARTER SERVICES

December

		2010	2009	CHANGE
REVENUE PASSENGER I	MILES (000)			
SYSTEM		10,333,602	10,154,332	1.8%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	6,310,233	6,280,883	0.5
	INTERNATIONAL	4,023,369	3,873,449	3.9
	ATLANTIC	1,286,057	1,412,643	-9.0
	LATIN AMERICA	2,211,647	2,005,121	10.3
	PACIFIC	525,665	455,685	15.4
AVAILABLE SEAT MILE	S (000)			
SYSTEM		12,820,622	12,599,508	1.8%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	7,809,569	7,780,144	0.4
	INTERNATIONAL	5,011,053	4,819,364	4.0
	ATLANTIC	1,577,632	1,698,326	-7.1
	LATIN AMERICA	2,777,192	2,556,742	8.6
	PACIFIC	656,229	564,296	16.3
LOAD FACTOR				
SYSTEM		80.6%	80.6%	0Pts
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	80.8	80.7	0.1
	INTERNATIONAL	80.3	80.4	-0.1
	ATLANTIC	81.5	83.2	-1.7
	LATIN AMERICA	79.6	78.4	1.2
	PACIFIC	80.1	80.8	-0.6
PASSENGERS BOARDED)	7,135,049	7,076,938	0.8%
SYSTEM CARGO TON				
MILES (000)		151,632	151,703	0%

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December

		2010	2009	CHANGE	
REVENUE PASSENGER	MILES (000)				
SYSTEM		125,449,510	122,375,278	2.5	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	77,239,007	76,722,517	0.7	
	INTERNATIONAL	48,210,503	45,652,761	5.6	
	ATLANTIC	18,843,734	18,570,643	1.5	
	LATIN AMERICA	23,193,221	21,744,513	6.7	
	PACIFIC	6,173,548	5,337,605	15.7	
AVAILABLE SEAT I	MILES (000)				
SYSTEM		153,184,659	151,709,372	1.0	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	93,136,748	92,924,678	0.2	
	INTERNATIONAL	60,047,911	58,784,695	2.1	
	ATLANTIC	23,231,460	23,675,751	-1.9	
	LATIN AMERICA	29,408,003	28,363,559	3.7	
	PACIFIC	7,408,448	6,745,384	9.8	
LOAD FACTOR					
SYSTEM		81.9 %	80.7	1.2	Pts
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	82.9	82.6	0.4	
	INTERNATIONAL	80.3	77.7	2.6	
	ATLANTIC	81.1	78.4	2.7	
	LATIN AMERICA	78.9	76.7	2.2	
	PACIFIC	83.3	79.1	4.2	
PASSENGERS BOARDED		86,127,370	85,720,496	0.5	%
SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES					
(000)		1,885,722	1,656,094	13.9	%

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