AMR CORP
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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: December 2, 2004

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.)

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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 December 2, 2004 by American Airlines, Inc. as Exhibit 99.1, which is included herein. This press release was issued to report November 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/ Charles D. MarLett
Charles D. MarLett
Corporate Secretary

Dated: December 3, 2004

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit	Description
99.1	Press Release

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FOR RELEASE: Thursday, Dec. 2, 2004

AMERICAN AIRLINES REPORTS NOVEMBER TRAFFIC

FORT WORTH, Texas - American Airlines, the world's largest carrier, reported a November load factor of 73.4 percent, an increase of 2.8 points compared to November of last year. Traffic during the month grew by 8.2 percent, while capacity increased 4.1 percent year over year.

International traffic increased 9.5 percent relative to last year on 10 percent more capacity. Domestic traffic grew by 7.6 percent compared to last year on a 1.5 percent increase in capacity. Strong domestic traffic is partially attributable to the Thanksgiving holiday, which fell earlier in the month this year.

American boarded 7.3 million passengers in November.

Detailed traffic and capacity data are on the following pages:

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AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER DIVISION
COMPARATIVE PRELIMINARY TRAFFIC SUMMARY
EXCLUDES CHARTER SERVICES
November

	2004	2003	CHANGE
REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000)			
SYSTEM	10,157,566	9,384,962	8.2 %
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	6,949,112	6,455,371	7.6
INTERNATIONAL	3,208,454	2,929,591	9.5
ATLANTIC	1,346,156	1,266,569	6.3
LATIN AMERICA	1,507,075	1,370,819	9.9
PACIFIC	355,223	292,203	21.6
AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)			
SYSTEM	13,835,745	13,286,135	4.1 %
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	9,346,360	9,205,875	1.5
INTERNATIONAL	4,489,385	4,080,259	10.0
ATLANTIC	1,663,541	1,604,886	3.7
LATIN AMERICA	2,365,679	2,089,881	13.2
PACIFIC	460,165	385,492	19.4
LOAD FACTOR			
SYSTEM	73.4 %	70.6 %	2.8 Pts
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	74.3	70.1	4.2
INTERNATIONAL	71.4	71.7	(0.3)
ATLANTIC	80.9	78.9	2.0
LATIN AMERICA	63.7	65.5	(1.8)
PACIFIC	77.1	75.7	1.4
PASSENGERS BOARDED	7,260,278	6,788,201	7.0 %
SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)	191,814	177,445	8.1 %

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AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER DIVISION
COMPARATIVE PRELIMINARY TRAFFIC SUMMARY
EXCLUDES CHARTER SERVICES
YEAR-TO-DATE
November

	2004	2003	CHANGE
REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000)			
SYSTEM	119,046,151	109,660,700	8.6 %
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	81,077,878	77,642,936	4.4
INTERNATIONAL	37,968,273	32,017,763	18.6
ATLANTIC	16,784,693	14,464,736	16.0
LATIN AMERICA	17,247,903	14,721,166	17.2
PACIFIC	3,935,676	2,831,861	39.0
AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)			
SYSTEM	159,120,908	150,761,742	5.5 %
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	107,875,648	106,695,388	1.1
INTERNATIONAL	51,245,261	44,066,354	16.3
ATLANTIC	20,634,573	18,653,938	10.6
LATIN AMERICA	25,713,779	21,594,880	19.1
PACIFIC	4,896,908	3,817,536	28.3

LOAD FACTOR			
SYSTEM	74.8 %	72.7 %	2.1 Pts
D.O.T. DOMESTIC	75.1	72.7	2.4
INTERNATIONAL	74	72.6	1.4
ATLANTIC	81.3	77.5	3.8
LATIN AMERICA	67	68.1	(1.1)
PACIFIC	80.3	74.1	6.2
PASSENGERS BOARDED	83,765,826	81,363,333	3.0 %
SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)	2,010,887	1,827,529	10.0 %

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