FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HIATT MARK A</u>		Sta	Date of Event Retement (Month/I		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  AMERICA FIRST TAX EXEMPT INVESTORS LP [ ATAXZ ]						
(Last) 1004 FARNAM SUITE 400 (Street) OMAHA (City)	(First) ST NE (State)	(Middle)  68102 (Zip)				ionship of Reporting Person( all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (spec	(	-		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					nt of Securities Ily Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Beneficial Unit Certificates						8,850	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		ate	d 3. Title and Amount of Securitie Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		Conv or Ex		se (D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Indirect (I) e (Instr. 5)		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Mark A. Hiatt

03/04/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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