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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WEST MARK C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ymbol ATLANTIC AMERICAN CORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	•	AAME] Date of Earliest Transaction	X Director 10% Owner			
4370 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.E.			Month/Day/Year) 4/21/2005	Officer (give title Delow) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ATLANTA	A, GA 30319-3054			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Da any (Month/Day/	rate, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D. Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) /Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or	Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	04/21/2005		Code V Amount (D) Price P 1,000 A \$ 2.68	17 533 D			
Common Stock (1)				By 127,500 I Atlantis Capital			

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Buy	\$ 2.6875 (2)	04/21/2005		D	1,000	11/02/2000(2)	05/02/2005(2)	Cmn Stk	1,000 (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

WEST MARK C 4370 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.E. X ATLANTA, GA 30319-3054

Signatures

Janie L. Ryan, POA 04/22/2005

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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) Mr. West also has an indirect ownership of 127500 shares owned by Atlantis Capital LLP, for which Mr. West is the President of the General Partner (Genoa Realty Services, Inc.)
- (2) Mr. West also holds options to buy 2000 shares of Common Stock granted under the Company's 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan at exercise prices ranging from \$1.90 to \$2.68.

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