#### FIRST AMERICAN CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

	Address of Report O KENNETH	_	Symbol		and Ticker or Trading		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		FIRST AMERICAN CORP [(FAF)]				'AF)]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		Earliest Tra	ansaction					
1 FIRST AMERICAN WAY		(Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2007			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President					
	(Street)		4. If Amer	ndment, Dat	te Original			6. Individual or	Joint/Group Fili	ng(Check
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
SANTA AN	IA, CA 92707							Person	More man One K	eporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	ear) Execution any	emed ion Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) o	<b>)</b> )	Securities Form: Direct I Beneficially (D) or I Owned Indirect (I) (I Following (Instr. 4) (Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/05/2007			A	7,972	A	\$0	7,972	D (1)	
Common Stock								104.697	I	By 401(k) Plan Trust
Reminder: Rep	ort on a separate	line for each o	class of secur	rities benefi	cially own	ed dir	ectly or	indirectly.		
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## $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.35					03/12/2004(3)	03/12/2013	Common Stock	4,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.35					04/01/2004(4)	04/01/2013	Common Stock	4,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 47.49					12/08/2006(5)	12/08/2015	Common Stock	20,000

### **Reporting Owners**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting o where realize a realized	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DEGIORGIO KENNETH D 1 FIRST AMERICAN WAY SANTA ANA, CA 92707			Senior Vice President				

### **Signatures**

By: Jeffrey S. Robinson, Attorney In Fact for 03/06/2007
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Date

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### **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) Includes 7,972 shares acquired pursuant to a grant of restricted stock units vesting in five equal annual increments commencing 3/5/08, the first anniversary of the grant.
- Amount shown consists of shares contributed by issuer as company match, shares purchased for my account and shares acquired through automatic reinvestment of dividends paid as reported in most recent account statement in transactions exempt under rules 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B) and 16b-3(c).
- (3) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 3/12/04, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (4) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 4/1/04, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (5) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/8/06, the first anniversary of the grant.

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