ATLANTIC AMERICAN CORP

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FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ATLANTIC AMERICAN CORP

Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

HOWELL HILTON H JR

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 4370 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.E.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2005					X Director X Officer (g below)		0% Owner Other (specify	
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
		(7:n)						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities A	equired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	05/02/2005			A	1,993 (1)	A	<u>(1)</u>	179,226	D		
Common Stock (2)								34,223	I	401(k)Plan	
Common Stock (3)								39,025	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock (4)								2,175	I	By Spouse IRA	
Common Stock (5)								6,720	I	Joint - Harriett J. Robinson w/	

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Buy	<u>(6)</u>				<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Cmn Stk	200,000 (6)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and an arm	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOWELL HILTON H JR 4370 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.E.	X		President & CEO				
ATLANTA, GA 30319							

Signatures

Janie L. Ryan,
POA

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) Represents 1993 shares of restricted stock that were awarded pursuant to the Company's 1992 Incentive Plan. No consideration is required to be paid by recipient.
- (2) Mr. Howell also has an indirect ownership interest in 40266 shares held in a 401(k) Plan based on the most recent plan statement.

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- Mr. Howell also has an indirect ownership interest in 39025 shares for which 1025 shares are held directly by spouse; 6000 shares held F/B/O daughter, Alston Elizabeth Howell, with spouse as Custodian; 7000 shares held F/B/O, son, Hilton Hatchett Howell, III, with
- (3) spouse as Custodian; 12500 shares held F/B/O daughter, Anna Louise Howell, with spouse as Custodian; and 12500 shares held F/B/O daughter, Julia Bailey Howell, with spouse as Custodian, all for which Mr. Howell expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities.
- (4) Mr. Howell also has an indirect ownership interest in 2175 shares held directly by Mr. Howell's spouse in an IRA account for which Mr. Howell expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities.
- (5) Mr. Howell also has an indirect ownership interest in 6720 shares owned jointly by his son with Harriett J. Robinson for which Mr. Howell expressly disclaims beneficial ownership in such securities.
- Mr. Howell also holds employee stock options to acquire 100000 shares of common stock granted under the Company's 1992 Incentive (6) Plan at an exercise price of \$1.25 and 100000 shares of common stock granted under the Company's 2002 Incentive Plan at an exercise price of \$1.59.

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