UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act Of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) July 11, 2007

THE FIRST AMERICAN CORPORATION

(Exact Name of the Registrant as Specified in Charter)

California (State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

001-13585 (Commission File Number) 95-1068610 (IRS Employer

Identification No.)

92707-5913

(Zip Code)

1 First American Way, Santa Ana, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices) Registrant s telephone number, including area code (714) 250-3000

Not Applicable.

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On July 11, 2007, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) notified The First American Corporation (the Company) that the Commission s investigation into the Company s prior stock option granting practices has been completed and that the Commission does not intend to recommend any enforcement action.

SIGNATURES

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.

THE FIRST AMERICAN CORPORATION

Date: July 12, 2007

By: /s/ Kenneth D. DeGiorgio

Name: Kenneth D. DeGiorgio Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel