ATLANTIC AMERICAN CORP Form 4

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		FORM 4							
	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP								
Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940									
]] Check this box if no lo obligations may continu								
1.	Name and Address of Reporting Person*								
	Elson	Edward	Ε.						
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)						
	180 Cocoanut Row								
	(Street)								
	Palm Beach	FL	33480-4121						
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
2.	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								
	Atlantic American Corpora	tion - AAME							
3.	IRS or Social Security Nu	========== mber of Reporting P	erson (Voluntary)						
4.	Statement for Month/Year								
	August, 2002								
5.	If Amendment, Date of Ori	ginal (Month/Year)							

6. Relationship of Reporting Person to (Check all applicable)	o Issuer					
[X] Director [] Officer (give title below)]] 10%] Oth		r pecify below)		
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (0 [X] Form filed by one Reporting I [] Form filed by more than one I	Person		====			
Table I Non-Derivative or Benefi	Securities Acicially Owned	quired, D	===== ispos =====	ed of,		
	2.	3. Transac Code		4. Securities Acqui Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		(A) or
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy)	(Instr.	8) 	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock Common Stock	07/29/02 N/A			2 , 727	A 	
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

^{*} If the Form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction $4\,(b)\,(v)\,.$

FORM 4 (continued) Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) ______ 5. Conversion Number of Title and Amount of Derivative 6. of Underlying

Exer
cise 3. Trans- Acquired (A) Exercisable and (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Trans- action or Disposed Expiration Date 1. of action Code of (D) (Month/Day/Year)
Title of Deriv- Date (Instr. (Instr. 3, -----Derivative ative (Month/ 8) 4 and 5) Date ExpiraSecurity Secur- Day/ ------ Exer- tion Amount or Number Security Secur- Day/ ----- Exer- tion of (Instr. 3) ity Year) Code V (A) (D) cisable Date Title Shares Option to Buy(2) \$2.68 05/07/02 A 1,000 11/07/02 05/07/07 Cmn.Stk. 1,000 ______ Explanation of Responses: (1) Shares contributed to EEE Investments Limited Partnership, for which Mr. Elson is a general partner. (2) Granted pursuant to the Company's 1996 Director Stock Option Plan at prices ranging from \$1.90 to \$4.4375.

/s/

**Signature of Reporting Person

09/03/02

Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.

If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedures.

Alternatively, this Form is permitted to be submitted to the Commission in electronic format at the option of the reporting person pursuant to rule 101(b)(4) of Regulation S-T.

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