

MARLEN JAMES S
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MARLEN JAMES S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMERON INTERNATIONAL CORP [AMN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
245 SO. LOS ROBLES AVE.
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/01/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman, Pres. & CEO

PASADENA, CA 91101

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/01/2010		A	V Amount 18,000 (1) (D) Price \$ 0 (2)	22,966	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2010		F	D Amount 6,603 (3) Price \$ 67.89	16,363	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2010		G	V 11,397 D \$ 0	4,966	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2010		G	V 11,397 A \$ 0	11,397	I	Marlen Family Trust
Common Stock					168	I	401(k)

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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)

Table with 10 columns: 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. Transaction 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), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5).

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 main columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address and Relationships. Relationship categories include Director, 10% Owner, Officer, and Other.

Signatures

/s/ Cynthia A. Iwasaki, Power of Attorney Date 02/02/2010

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) The grant of 18,000 fully-vested shares of common stock was made pursuant to an amendment to Mr. Marlen's employment agreement dated September 19, 2007 (the "Amendment"). The Amendment provides that 18,000 fully-vested shares of common stock will be granted to Mr. Marlen each February 2008, 2009 and 2010, provided that a change of control of the Company has not occurred prior to the applicable date and Mr. Marlen continues to be employed by the Company as its Chairman of the Board, President, or Chief Executive Officer on the applicable date.
(2) Compensation for services.
(3) Represents shares surrendered to satisfy the tax withholding obligation of the Company with respect to the grant of 18,000 fully-vested shares pursuant to the terms of the Amendment. See footnote 1.

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