FIRST AMERICAN CORP

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

FIRST AMERICAN CORP [(FAF)]

Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

GILMORE DENNIS J

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Last)	(First) (M	Middle)	3. Date of	f Earliest Ti	ransaction					
5601 EAST LA PALMA AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2007					Director _X_ Officer (give below) Chief		Owner er (specify
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
ANAHEIM							_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed 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	08/09/2007			S	100	D	\$ 47.14	56,690.699	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2007			S	200	D	\$ 47	56,490.699	D	
Common Stock								1,782.474	I	By 401(k) Plan Trust
Common Stock								149.022	I	By ESOP Trust (4)
Common Stock	08/09/2007			S	100	D	\$ 46.43	56,390.699	D	

Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	100	D	\$ 46.42	56,290.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	200	D	\$ 46.41	56,090.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,400	D	\$ 46.4	54,690.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	400	D	\$ 46.39	54,290.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	300	D	\$ 46.38	53,990.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	200	D	\$ 46.37	53,790.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	300	D	\$ 46.25	53,490.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	600	D	\$ 46.22	52,890.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 46.21	51,890.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	300	D	\$ 46.2	51,590.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,400	D	\$ 46.15	50,190.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	200	D	\$ 46.11	49,990.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	600	D	\$ 46.1	49,390.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 46.09	48,290.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	900	D	\$ 46.08	47,390.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,700	D	\$ 46.07	45,690.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	300	D	\$ 46.06	45,390.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 46.05	44,390.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	800	D	\$ 46.04	43,590.699	D
Common Stock	08/09/2007	S	800	D	\$ 46.02	42,790.699	D
	08/09/2007	S	600	D		42,190.699	D

Common \$ 46.01 Common Stock S 400 D \$ 46 41,790.699 D (1) (2)

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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable 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)	\$ 19.1					07/23/2003(7)	07/23/2012	Common Stock	6,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.85					02/27/2004(8)	02/27/2013	Common Stock	50,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.56					02/26/2005(9)	02/26/2014	Common Stock	50,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.55					02/28/2006(10)	02/28/2015	Common Stock	60,000

Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 47.49	12/08/2006(11)	12/08/2015	Common Stock	60,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.8	12/14/2001 <u>(5)</u>	12/14/2010	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.2	12/13/2002 <u>(6)</u>	12/13/2011	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

GILMORE DENNIS J

5601 EAST LA PALMA AVENUE Chief Operating Officer

ANAHEIM, CA 92807

Signatures

By: Jeffrey S. Robinson, Attorney In Fact for 08/13/2007

**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) Includes 0.699 shares acquired in connection with the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Includes 31,213 shares (including shares acquired through automatic dividend reinvestment) 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).
- (4) Amount shown consists of shares allocated to my account in previous years and shares acquired through automatic reinvestment of dividends paid on such previously allocated shares, as reported in most recent account statement.
- (5) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/14/01, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (6) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/13/02, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (7) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 7/23/03, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (8) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/27/04, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (9) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/26/05, the first anniversary of the grant.

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- (10) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/28/06, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (11) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/8/06, the first anniversary of the grant.

Remarks:

Form 2 of 2, dated 8/9/07

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