#### WARE RICHARD II

Form 4 March 07, 2008

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* WARE RICHARD II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ATMOS ENERGY CORP [ATO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

**BOX ONE** 

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/07/2008

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

below)

AMARILLO, TX 79105

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

(Instr. 8)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

Price of

(Instr. 3)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number 4 Transaction Derivative Code Securities

Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date **Expiration Title** Amount Exercisable Date or Number of Shares Phantom

\$0

Common (2) (2) Stock (1) 03/07/2008 Α 2,500 2,500 Stock Units

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WARE RICHARD II

X **BOX ONE** 

AMARILLO, TX 79105

# **Signatures**

Dwala Kuhn by 03/07/2008 **POA** 

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

### **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).
- Each unit of phantom stock is equivalent to one share of the Company's common stock. **(1)**
- The phantom stock units were granted under the 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan and are to be settled upon the reporting person's te rmination of service on the Company's Board.
- Number of phantom units granted is not based on price. **(3)**
- Includes 788.36 phantom stock units resulting from a dividend reinvestment feature of the Plan which were allocated to reporting person's account since 3/9/07.

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