AMES NATIONAL CORP Form 4

April 26, 2007

## FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WALTER MARVIN J |          |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  |  |  |
|--|----------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
|  |          |          | AMES NATIONAL CORP [ATLO]                            | (Check all applicable)  |  |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                      |   |  |  |  |
| 2035 COUNTRY CLUB BLVD                                     |          |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>04/24/2007                       | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)                             |  |  |  |
|  | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person |  |  |  |
| AMES, IA 50014   |          |          |  | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |  |  |  |
| (City)   | (State)  | (Zip)    | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq              | quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne   |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State) (   | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D                            | erivative  | Secur | ities Ac | equired, Disposed  | of, or Benefici  | ally Owned  |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------|--|--|-------|----------|--|--|---|--|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year) |            | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price |       |          | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common stock                         | 04/24/2007  |            | P                                      | 295  | A     | \$ 22    | 12,537   | I  | by self as participant in 401k Plan                               |  |

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)

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| 1. Title of | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date |                    | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc |            | 7. Titl |          | 8. Price of | 9. Nu    |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | orNumber   | Expiration D  | ate        | Amou    | ınt of   | Derivative  | Deriv    |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/   | Year)      | Under   | lying    | Security    | Secui    |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e             |            | Securi  | ities    | (Instr. 5)  | Bene     |
|             | Derivative  |                     | •                  |            | Securities | 3             |            | (Instr. | 3 and 4) |             | Owne     |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |               |            |         |          |             | Follo    |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |               |            |         |          |             | Repo     |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |               |            |         |          |             | Trans    |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |               |            |         |          |             | (Instr   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |               |            |         |          |             | (2.11541 |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |               |            |         |          |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | i, and 3)  |               |            |         |          |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |            |         | Amount   |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Data          | Evaluation |         | or       |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date          | Expiration | Title   | Number   |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable   | Date       |         | of       |             |          |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |               |            |         | Shares   |             |          |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                              | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner France / Francess                           | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| WALTER MARVIN J<br>2035 COUNTRY CLUB BLVD<br>AMES, IA 50014 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

John P. Nelson by power of attorney

04/26/2007

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **Explanation of Responses:**

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