NALLATHAMBI ANAND K

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A NALLATHA	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST AMERICAN CORP [(FAF)]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(I4)	(First) (M)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (Mi	iddle) 3. Date of (Month/D		ansaction	Director	10%	Owner		
12395 FIRS	*	•		X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President of First Advantage					
	4. If Amer	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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	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)		

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} \\ \text{Stock} \end{array} \hspace{3.5mm} 3,753.024 \hspace{3mm} I \hspace{3mm} \begin{array}{c} \text{By 401(k)} \\ \text{Plan Trust} \\ \text{(2)} \end{array}$

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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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	' (A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 47.49	12/08/2005		A	50,0	00	12/08/2006 <u>(3)</u>	12/08/2015	Common Stock	50,0
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.694						04/24/1997 <u>(4)</u>	04/24/2006	Common Stock	3,5
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.75						02/24/2001(5)	02/24/2010	Common Stock	6,0
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.08						12/13/2002 <u>(6)</u>	12/13/2011	Common Stock	15,0
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.5						07/23/2003(7)	07/23/2012	Common Stock	10,0
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.85						02/27/2004(8)	02/27/2013	Common Stock	30,0
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 30.56						02/26/2005(9)	02/26/2014	Common Stock	50,0

buy)

Employee Stock

Option \$ 36.55

(right to buy)

02/28/2006(10) 02/28/2015

Common 50,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NALLATHAMBI ANAND K 12395 FIRST AMERICAN WAY POWAY, CA 92064

President of First Advantage

Signatures

By: Jeffrey S. Robinson, Attorney In Fact for

12/12/2005

**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 1,957.535 shares acquired in connection with the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- 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).
- (3) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/8/06, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (4) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 4/24/97, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (5) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/24/01, 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.
- (10) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/28/06, the first anniversary of the grant.

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