

NALLATHAMBI ANAND K
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 NALLATHAMBI ANAND K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FIRST AMERICAN CORP [FAF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 12395 FIRST AMERICAN WAY

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/18/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Business Segment President

(Street)
 POWAY, CA 92064

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

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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	11/18/2009		A	V Amount (1) 89,734	(2) 145,467.483	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2009		F(3)	43,243	D \$ 32,536.8 (4)	D (5)	
Common Stock					4,366.927	I	By 401(k) Plan Trust (6)

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. 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Num Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁷⁾	\$ <u>41.33</u> ⁽⁸⁾	11/18/2009		A	29,000 ⁽⁹⁾	11/18/2009 ⁽¹⁰⁾	03/30/2017	Common Stock	29
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁷⁾	\$ <u>46.14</u> ⁽⁸⁾	11/18/2009		A	58,000 ⁽⁹⁾	11/18/2009 ⁽¹⁰⁾	02/22/2017	Common Stock	58
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁷⁾	\$ <u>46.68</u> ⁽⁸⁾	11/18/2009		A	115,999 ⁽⁹⁾	11/18/2009 ⁽¹⁰⁾	09/15/2015	Common Stock	115
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.2					12/13/2002 ⁽¹¹⁾	12/13/2011	Common Stock	15
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.1					07/23/2003 ⁽¹²⁾	07/23/2012	Common Stock	10
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.85					02/27/2004 ⁽¹³⁾	02/27/2013	Common Stock	30

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- (8) The exercise price is equal to the exercise price of the assumed option to acquire Class A common stock of First Advantage Corporation, divided by the exchange ratio 0.58.
- Stock options to acquire Class A common stock of First Advantage Corporation were assumed by the issuer and converted into options
- (9) to acquire shares of the issuer using a ratio of 0.58 of a common share of the issuer per share of Class A common stock of First Advantage Corporation.
- (10) Pursuant to the terms of the First Advantage Corporation 2003 Incentive Compensation Plan, the option became fully exercisable immediately prior to the merger.
- (11) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/13/02, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (12) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 7/23/03, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (13) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/27/04, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (14) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/26/05, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (15) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/28/06, the first anniversary of the grant.
- (16) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 12/8/06, the first anniversary of the grant.

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