AMERON INTERNATIONAL CORP

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **SOLIS JAVIER**

(First)

(State)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMERON INTERNATIONAL CORP [AMN]

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/26/2006

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr. V.P., Sec. & Gen. Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PASADENA, CA 91101

245 SO. LOS ROBLES AVE

| (City) | (State) | Table 1 - 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 07/26/2006 | | M | 7,784 | A | \$ 18.5 | 37,946 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 07/26/2006 | | M | 16 | A | \$ 21 | 37,962 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 07/26/2006 | | S | 7,800 | D | \$ 55.1064 | 30,162 | D | | |

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---------|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 18.5 | 07/26/2006 | | M | 7,784 | 12/01/1996 | 04/25/2009 | Common | 7,784 |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 21 | 07/26/2006 | | M | 16 | 01/20/1995 | 01/20/2009 | Common | 16 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SOLIS JAVIER

245 SO. LOS ROBLES AVE Sr. V.P., Sec. & Gen. Counsel PASADENA, CA 91101

Signatures

Cynthia A. Iwasaki, Power of Attorney 07/26/2006

**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).

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