#### ATMOS ENERGY CORP

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## FORM 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WARE RICHARD II |          |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>ATMOS ENERGY CORP [ATO] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)                         |  |  |  |
|---|----------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)  | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction   | (eneer an appreadic)   |  |  |  |
| BOX ONE   |          |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>07/02/2007  | X Director 10% Owner<br>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 |  |  |  |
| AMARILLO, TX 79105  |          |          |   | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person   |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | e I - Non-D                             | <b>D</b> erivative   | Secur            | ities Acq   | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|------------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                  |             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|                                      |   |   | Code V                                  | Amount   | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price       | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                   | (23.5.1)   | (1110111 )  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/02/2007                              |   | A(1)                                    | 291  | A                | \$<br>30.06 | 24,065   | 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)

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| 1. Title of Derivative | 2. Conversion                                     | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) |                         | 4.<br>Transact  | 5.<br>tiorNumb   |                            | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration D |                    | 7. Title<br>Amou           |  | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu<br>Deriv  |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------------|---|
| Security (Instr. 3)    | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |                                      | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of Deriv Secur Acqui (A) of Disposof (D) (Instr 4, and | vative rities ired rosed ) | (Month/Day/                   |                    | Under<br>Securi<br>(Instr. | , ,                                    | Security (Instr. 5)    | Secur<br>Bene<br>Owne<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|                        |   |                                      |                         | Code V          | / (A)  | ` ′                        | Date<br>Exercisable           | Expiration<br>Date |                            | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                        |   |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| WARE RICHARD II<br>BOX ONE     | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| AMARILLO, TX 79105             |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

Dwala Kuhn by
POA

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O7/02/2007

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) This acquisition was made under the Atmos Energy Corporation Outside Directors Stock-For-Fee Plan in a transaction exempt under R ule 16b-3(d).

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