ATMOS ENERGY CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WARE RICHARD II			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ATMOS ENERGY CORP [ATO]				···s	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 5430 LBJ F LINCOLN	REEWAY, 1800	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/03/2017				_X_ Director	eck all applicable) ve title 10% Owner Other (specify below)			
DALLAS,	(Street) TX 75240		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				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-L	erivative	Secur	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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	07/03/2017			Code V A	157 <u>(1)</u>	` '	Price \$ 83.155	16,318	D		
Common Stock								750	I	Family trust	

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• •	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WARE RICHARD II 5430 LBJ FREEWAY 1800 III LINCOLN CENTRE DALLAS, TX 75240	X						

Signatures

/s/Suzanne Johnson by POA 07/05/2017

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d).

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