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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DARMAN RICHARD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AES CORP [AES]			Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)			
4300 WILSON BOULEVARD			(Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2005			X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board			
	(Street)		4. If Am	endment, D	ate Origina	al	6. Individual	or Joint/Group I	Filing(Check
ARLINGT	ON, VA 22203	3	Filed(Mo	nth/Day/Yea	r)			ne) I by One Reportin I by More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities	Acquired, Dispos	ed of, or Benefi	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or d (A) or d of (D) 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							115,000	D	
Common Stock							160,000	I	by Frontier Ventures Corporation
Common Stock							15,000	I	by Darman Harvard Lead Trust
Reminder: Re	eport on a separate	line for each	class of sec	urities benef	ficially ow	ned 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Units	(1)	04/28/2005	04/28/2005	A	24,938	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	24,938
Stock Option Grant (Right to buy)	\$ 2.2					07/29/2003	07/29/2012	Common Stock	88,448
Stock Option Grant (Right to buy)	\$ 2.75					02/12/2007	02/12/2013	Common Stock	300,000
Stock Option Grant (Right to buy)	\$ 6.7					05/13/2004	05/13/2013	Common Stock	44,312

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DARMAN RICHARD 4300 WILSON BOULEVARD ARLINGTON, VA 22203	X		Chairman of the Board			

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Signatures

Richard Darman 05/02/2005

**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).

Pursuant to the Amended and Restated Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors of The AES Corporation (the "Company"), Non Employee Directors may elect to defer receipt of compensation otherwise payable to such Director in the form of stock units, the basis of which is determined to be the closing stock price on the day that the Non Employee Director is elected to the Board of Directors for the

(1) Plan Year for which a stock unit election is made. In this case, the Board Year commenced on April 28, 2005 and will continue through April 26, 2006. A Non Employee Director is not eligible to make a withdrawl from his deferred account until such Director ceases to be a Board Member. This distribution will be made as soon as practicable after the Director leaves the Company, and will be made in accordance with the Director's Distribution Election Notification.

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