Kokas Adam Richard Form 4 October 11, 2006

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Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 4)

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kokas Adam Richard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS INC [AAWW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

10/09/2006

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) SVP, GC, Secretary

C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS, INC., 2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE

(Street)

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

3.

Applicable Line)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

PURCHASE,, NY 10577

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

D

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

Common

Stock, \$.01 10/09/2006

3,323 Α 3.323 Α \$0

par value

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.14	10/09/2006		A	6,646	<u>(1)</u>	10/09/2016	Common Stock	6,646

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	reaction in po					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Kokas Adam Richard						
C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS, INC.			SVP, GC,			
2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE			Secretary			
PURCHASE,, NY 10577						

Signatures

/s/Michael W. Borkowski, as
Attorney-in-Fact 10/11/2006

**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).
- (1) The option vests as follows: 1,662 shares on 10/09/2007; 1,662 shares on 10/09/2008; 1,661 shares on 10/09/2009; and 1,661 shares on 10/09/2010.

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