APOLLO INVESTMENT CORP

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zelter James C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

APOLLO INVESTMENT CORP

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

[AINV]

02/19/2009

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

C/O APOLLO INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 9 WEST 57TH

(Street)

(State)

STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

NEW YORK, NY 10019

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership (Instr. 4) Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

(A)

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

Common Stock, par

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

02/19/2009

(D) Price Code V Amount

D 54,728.5301

P 10,000 A

\$0.001 per share

value

Common

Stock, par 10,000 A \$ 64,728.5301 P 02/20/2009 D value

\$0.001 per

share

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities	1		(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration		Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
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Reporting Owners

D	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zelter James C C/O APOLLO INVESTMENT CORPORATION 9 WEST 57TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10019

X Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

/s/ James C. 02/20/2009 Zelter

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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