

AMEN PROPERTIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BLAKE DONALD M JR**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
298 5TH AVENUE  
(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10001

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMEN PROPERTIES INC [AMEN]

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

02/11/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>				(A) or (D) Price	61,547	D <sup>(2)</sup>	

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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
Options <sup>(1)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>					<sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(5)</sup>	Common Stock	10,962
Options	\$ 5.67	09/05/2007		A	5,969	09/05/2007	09/05/2017	Common Stock	5,969
Options	\$ 6.03	10/29/2007		A	988	10/29/2007	10/29/2017	Common Stock	988
Options	\$ 7	01/28/2008		A	988	01/28/2008	01/28/2018	Common Stock	988

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BLAKE DONALD M JR 298 5TH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10001	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Donald M. Blake, Jr. 02/12/2008

         \*\*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) Previously Reported
- (2) 38,872 Direct / 22,675 Indirect
- (3) Options strike prices range from \$1.98 to \$5.96
- (4) Options exercisable dates range from 5/6/03 to 10/3/05
- (5) Options expiration dates range from 5/6/13 to 10/3/15

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