MITAROTONDA JAMES A

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MITAROTONDA JAMES A | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERON INTERNATIONAL CORP [AMN] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|---------|-------|---|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BARINGTON CAPITAL GROUP, L.P., 888 SEVENTH AVENUE 17TH FLOOR | | TAL | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2011 | _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specification) | | | |
| (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10019 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Polymer Form filed by More than One Reperson | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq | uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | |

| (City) | (State) | Tabl | e I - Non-L | Derivative S | ecurit | ies Acq | uired, Disposed | of, or Benefici | ally Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--------------|-----------|--|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial O) Ownership ct (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 10/05/2011 | | Code V D | Amount 1,200 | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/05/2011 | | D | 124,658 | D | (2) | 0 | I | By Barington Companies Equity Partners, L.P. (3) (4) |

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title a | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | orNumber | Expiration Date | | Amount | of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
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| | | | | | | | | of | | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | S | hares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MITAROTONDA JAMES A C/O BARINGTON CAPITAL GROUP, L.P. 888 SEVENTH AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019

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Signatures

/s/ James A.
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**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).
- Shares of Restricted Stock were cancelled in the Merger (the "Merger") pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated July 1,
- (1) 2011, by and among Ameron International Corporation, National Oilwell Varco, Inc. and NOV Sub A, Inc. (the "Merger Agreement") in exchange for a cash payment of \$85.00 (the "Merger Consideration").
- (2) Shares of Common Stock were converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to the Merger Agreement.
- The Reporting Person's relationship to Barington Companies Equity Partners, L.P. is described in this footnote. The Reporting Person is the sole stockholder and directors of LNA Capital Corp., which is the general partner of Barington Capital Group L.P., which is the majority member of Barington Companies Investors, LLC. Barington Companies Investors, LLC is the general partner of Barington Companies Equity Partners, L.P.

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