

JOHNSON JAMES E JR  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
JOHNSON JAMES E JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DIMON INC [DMN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2823 SHARON VIEW ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/10/2004

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

CHARLOTTE, NC 28210

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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, no par value				(A) or (D) Price	2,700	D	

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 (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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 6.45	11/10/2004		A	2,250	11/10/2004 11/10/2014	Common Stock	2,250
Deferred Stock Units <sup>(3)</sup>	<u>(1)</u>	11/10/2004		A	2,250	<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	2,250

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JOHNSON JAMES E JR 2823 SHARON VIEW ROAD CHARLOTTE, NC 28210			X	

### Signatures

Thomas C. Parrish, Attorney-in-fact	11/12/2004
**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) 1-for-1
- (2) The deferred stock units become payable, in common stock, upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.
- (3) Pursuant to the Company's compensation deferral plan, the reporting person received 2,250 deferred stock units under that plan upon deferral of a grant of 2,250 shares of restricted stock on the same date. The restricted shares deferred remain restricted for one year from the date of the award, provided the recipient remains on the Board of the Company.

**Remarks:**  
Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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