AVATAR HOLDINGS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCNAIRY CHARLES L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AVATAR HOLDINGS INC [AVTR]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2007

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

below)

Exec.V.P. and Treasurer

AVATAR HOLDINGS INC., 201 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

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	Tuble 1 Troit Delivative Securities Required, Disposed of, of Beneficially Owner								y 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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	08/03/2007		M(1)	12,500	A	<u>(1)</u>	12,500	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/03/2007		F(2)	3,306	D	\$ 61.32	9,194	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Securit Acquir	tive ties red (A) posed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Performance Conditioned Restricted Stock Units	(3)	08/03/2007		M <u>(1)</u>	1	12,500	08/03/2007	08/03/2007	COMMON STOCK	12

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCNAIRY CHARLES L AVATAR HOLDINGS INC. 201 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

Exec.V.P. and Treasurer

Signatures

Charles L. 08/07/2007 McNairy

**Signature of Date
Reporting 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).
- (1) Settlement of Performance Conditioned Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) Represents 3,306 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock withheld by Issuer in payment of Reporting Person's tax liability upon the vesting of 12,500 Performance Conditioned Restricted Stock Units at a price of \$61.32 per share.
- (**3**) 1-for-1

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