### ATLAS MINING CO

Form 4

September 25, 2008

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* IBS CAPITAL LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ATLAS MINING CO [ALMI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

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

Director Officer (give title

X 10% Owner Other (specify

ONE INTERNATIONAL

PLACE, SUITE 2401

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

09/23/2008

below)

BOSTON, MA 02110

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-l	Derivative Sec	urities	s Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities a por Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an	of (D)	red (A)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/23/2008		P(2)	1,700,000	A	\$ 0.5	13,972,415	I	See Note 2. (1) (2)
Common Stock	09/24/2008		S(3)	775,000	D	\$ 0.5	13,972,415	I	See Note 3. (1) (3)
Common Stock	09/24/2008		P(3)	775,000	A	\$ 0.5	13,972,415	I	See Note 3. (1) (3)

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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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		10% Owner	Officer	Other				
IBS CAPITAL LLC ONE INTERNATIONAL PLACE SUITE 2401 BOSTON, MA 02110		X						
IBS TURNAROUND FUND (QP) (A LTD PARTNERSHIP) ONE INTERNATIONAL PLACE STE 2410 BOSTON, MA 02110		X						

## **Signatures**

IBS Capital LLC, by David A. Taft, Manager 09/25/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

IBS TURNAROUND FUND (QP) (A LTD PARTNERSHIP) By IBS Capital LLC, Its
General Partner, David A. Taft, Manager

09/25/2008

\*\*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) IBS Capital LLC is the general partner of The IBS Turnaround (QP) Fund (A Limited Partnership) and The IBS Turnaround Fund (A Limited Partnership). IBS Capital LLC is the investment adviser of The IBS Opportunity Fund (BVI), Ltd.
- (2) The 1,700,000 shares purchased on September 23, 2008 were purchased as follows: (i) 1,019,265 shares were purchased by The IBS Turnaround (QP) Fund (A Limited Partnership) and (ii) 680,735 shares were purchased by the The IBS Turnaround Fund (A Limited Partnership). After the completion of the transaction, (i) The IBS Turnaround (QP) Fund (A Limited Partnership) held 9,235,203 shares;

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(ii) The IBS Turnaround Fund (A Limited Partnership) held 3,436,937 shares; and (iii) The IBS Opportunity Fund (BVI), Ltd. held 1,300,275 shares.

The 775,000 shares sold on September 24, 2008, were sold as follows: (i) The IBS Turnaround (QP) Fund (A Limited Partnership) sold 564,805 shares to The IBS Opportunity Fund (BVI), Ltd. and (ii) The IBS Turnaround Fund (A Limited Partnership) sold 210,195 shares

(3) to The IBS Opportunity Fund (BVI), Ltd. After the completion of the transactions, (i) The IBS Turnaround (QP) Fund (A Limited Partnership) holds 8,670,398 shares; (ii) The IBS Turnaround Fund (A Limited Partnership) holds 3,226,742 shares; and (iii) The IBS Opportunity Fund (BVI), Ltd. holds 2,075,275 shares.

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