#### APOLLO GOLD CORP

Form 4 March 02, 2006

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** RUSSELL ROBERT DAVID			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol APOLLO GOLD CORP [AGT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
5655 S. YOSEMITE STREET, SUITE 200			(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2006	_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specification) below)  President & CEO		
	(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		
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(State)

(Zip)

(City)

		Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, of Deficiciany Owned							
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securitie	es Acqı	uired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)				Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
					or		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common Stock	02/28/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	611,575	A	\$ 0.42	1,636,100 (2)	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
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					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RUSSELL ROBERT DAVID							
5655 S. YOSEMITE STREET	X		President				
SUITE 200	Λ		& CEO				
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111							

## **Signatures**

/s/ R.D. Russell 03/02/2006

\*\*Signature of 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) The grant of the Common Stock by the issuer was pursuant to Amendment No. 1 to Amended and Restated Employment Agreement with Mr. Russell.
- (2) Includes 100 shares held indirectly by Mr. Russell for the benefit of his minor child, which Mr. Russell may be deemed to beneficially own.

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