CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GREEN PHILLIP D	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC [CFR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 WEST HOUSTON STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2006	Director 10% Owner Selficer (give title Other (specify below) Group EVP / CFO
(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
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Ow							
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)	(A) or			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, \$0.01 par value	02/10/2006		G V	100	D	\$ 0	41,443	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/16/2006		M	21,500	A	\$ 33.31	62,943	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/16/2006		S	21,500	D	\$ 54.8422	41,443	D	

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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/17/2006	M	13,500	A	\$ 33.31	54,943	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/17/2006	S	13,500	D	\$ 54.809	41,443	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/21/2006	M	470	A	\$ 33.31	41,913	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/21/2006	S	450	D	\$ 54.92	41,463	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/21/2006	S	20	D	\$ 54.71	41,443	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value						1,100	I	By Spouse
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value						21,517	I	Through 401(k) Plan

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	tioi	iorDerivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number

								of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.31	02/16/2006	M	21,500	10/31/2003	10/31/2006	Common Stock	21,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.31	02/17/2006	M	13,500	10/31/2003	10/31/2006	Common Stock	13,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.31	02/21/2006	M	470	10/31/2003	10/31/2006	Common Stock	470

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
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GREEN PHILLIP D				
100 WEST HOUSTON STREET			Group EVP / CFO	
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205			·	

Signatures

/s/ Phillip D.
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**Signature of Reporting Person

O2/21/2006

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).

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