CULLEN/FROST BANKERS, INC.

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			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) 05/06/2015					X Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below) President, Frost Bank			
I				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			
	ONIO, TX 782						Person				
(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) Execution any (Month/Day		n Date, if	Date, if Transactior(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) y/Year) (Instr. 8) (A)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2015			M	10,500	A	\$ 50.01	158,433	D		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2015			S	10,500	D	\$ 73.82 (1)	147,933	D		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par								630	I	By Spouse	

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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	3,855	I	Custodian for Children
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	121,406	I (3)	Through Trust
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	1,486.44	I (4)	Through Limited Liability Company
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	26,276	I (5)	Through Trust
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	30,658	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of conDerivative Securities Acquired (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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 50.01	05/06/2015		M		10,500	10/19/2009	10/19/2015	Common Stock	10,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FROST PATRICK B

100 WEST HOUSTON STREET X President, Frost Bank

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205

Signatures

/s/ Patrick B. 05/07/2015

**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).
- The price in Column 4 is based on a weighted average price. The prices actually paid range from \$73.57 to \$74.09. The reporting person (1) will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (2) Mr. Frost disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
 - Reflects limited partnership ("LP") interests held by a trust of which Mr. Frost is the sole trustee and Mr. Frost is a beneficiary. The
- (3) number of shares reported assumes that each LP interest represents a proportionate interest in the shares of common stock in which the LP has a pecuniary interest.
- (4) The number of shares reported assumes each limited liability company interest represents a proportionate interest in the shares of common stock in which the limited liability company has a pecuniary interest. Mr. Frost is the manager of the limited liability company.
- Reflect LP interests held by a trust of which Mr. Frost is the sole trustee and Mr. Frost and his children are beneficiaries. The number of shares reported assumes that each LP interest represents a proportionate interest in the shares of common stock in which the LP has a pecuniary interest.

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