CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

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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).

(Last)

Stock,

\$0.01 par

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HAYNE JAMES L

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

(Middle)

CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

(Check all applicable)

[CFR]

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (specify

217 EAST HOUSTON

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

Officer (give title

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

STREET, SUITE 100

4. If Amendment, Date Original

05/05/2006

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205

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(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi corr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (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	05/05/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 22.56	21,596	D		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/05/2006		M	4,000	A	\$ 36.25	25,596	D		
Common	05/05/2006		S	6,000	D	\$	19,596	D		

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value

Common Stock

Stock, \$0.01 par solution | 86,820 | I | By | Spouse (1)

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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 Derivative 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
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 22.56	05/05/2006		M		2,000	07/29/1997	07/29/2007	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 36.25	05/05/2006		M		4,000	08/28/2001	08/28/2007	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HAYNE JAMES L 217 EAST HOUSTON STREET SUITE 100 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205	X					

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Signatures

/s/ James L. 05/08/2006 Hayne

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) Represents shares of Common Stock held by a limited partnership in which Mr. Hayne's spouse owns an interest. Mr. Hayne disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, therein.

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