

FIRST BANCORP /NC/  
Form 4  
November 22, 2004

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PERKINS GEORGE R JR**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**P. O. BOX 525**

(Street)

**SANFORD, NC 27330**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

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

**11/19/2004**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or (D)	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	11/19/2004		S	1,300 D	\$ 25.05	341,374.6494 D	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secur (Instr.	
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9.833						06/01/1996	06/01/2006	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.333						06/01/1997	06/01/2007	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.75						06/01/2000	06/01/2010	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 16.667						06/01/1999	06/01/2009	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22						06/01/1998	06/01/2008	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.05						06/01/2002	06/01/2012	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 24						06/01/2001	06/01/2011	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 25.95						06/01/2003	06/01/2013	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Options	\$ 29.53						06/01/2004	06/01/2014	Common Stock	1,500

(Right to  
buy)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other
PERKINS GEORGE R JR P. O. BOX 525 SANFORD, NC 27330	X

## Signatures

Timothy S. Maples	11/22/2004
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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