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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $\underline{\ }^*$ Witter Gordon L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BofI Holding, Inc. [BOFI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O BOFI HOLDING, INC., 12777 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE #100			(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2006	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN DIEGO, CA 92130			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
				(4)	Reported			
				(A)	Transaction(s)			
			Code V	or Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
C			Couc v	Amount (D) Thee				
Common Stock (1)	01/05/2006		C	9,520 A $\frac{\$}{10.5}$	68,760	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)

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of) Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
6% Convertible Preferred (2)	\$ 10.5	01/05/2006		C	5	12/08/2003(3)	01/01/2009	Common Stock	9,520

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
·r·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Vitter Gordon L VO BOFI HOLDING, INC. 2777 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE #100 AN DIEGO, CA 92130	X				

Signatures

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Gary Lewis
Evans

**Signature of Date

**Signature of 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).
- (1) Conversion of Preferred Stock at \$10.50 per share into Common Stock.
- (2) Series A-6% Cumulative Nonparticipating Perpetual Preferred Stock, Convertible Through January 1, 2009.
- (3) January 2006 was last month exercisable at \$10.50.

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