Chivinski Beth Ann L Form 4 July 02, 2008

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

value

common stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

| Chivinski Beth Ann L | | | Symbol FULTON FINANCIAL CORP | | | | | Issuer | | | | |
|--|------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------------------|--------|---------|--|--|---|--|--|
| | | | [FULT] | [FULT] | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | , | | | f Earliest Transaction | | | | Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| C/O FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION | | | (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2008 | | | | | below) below) Executive Vice President | | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Ame | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| | | Filed(Mon | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| LANCASTER, PA | | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | . Transaction Date 2A. Dee Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/ | | 3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or | | |)) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| \$2.50 par value common | | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | |
| stock restricted subject to vesting | 07/01/2008 | | | A(1) | 1,051 | A | \$0 | 1,051 | D | | | |
| \$2.50 par | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8 I S (|
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Option Right to Buy | \$ 9.965 | 07/01/2008 | | A | 6,349 (3) | 07/01/2009 | 06/30/2018 | Common Stock | 6,349 (3) | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chivinski Beth Ann L C/O FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION LANCASTER, PA

Executive Vice President

Signatures

George R. Barr, Jr.,
Attorney-in-Fact
07/02/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- (1) The restricted shares shall cliff vest three years after grant date on July 1, 2011.
- (2) Includes 6,526.2960 shares held in the Fulton Financial Corporation 401k Retirement Plan.
- (3) Company granted option issued pursuant to Rule 16b-3. The stock option grant shall be exercisable one-third on July 1, 2009, one-third on July 1, 2010 and the remaining one-third on July 1, 2011.

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