FRONTIER AIRLINES INC /CO/

Form 4 April 14, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

7001 TOWER ROAD

DENVER, CO 80249

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

TATE PAUL H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FRONTIER AIRLINES INC /CO/

[FRNT]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2005

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(City) (State)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

Derivative Security

1. Title of

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration

(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

below)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Estimated average

burden hours per

7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			
				Code V	(A) (E	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 10.05	04/01/2005		A	25,126	04/01/2006(1)	03/31/2015	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/01/2005		A	4,975	04/01/2010	01/01/2050(3)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

TATE PAUL H 7001 TOWER ROAD

SVP & CFO

DENVER, CO 80249

Signatures

David Sislowski, Attorney in Fact

04/14/2005

**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).
- The Stock Appreciation Rights become exercisable in five equal installments, with the first installment becoming exercisable on the first anniversary of the grant date, and each subsequent installment becoming exercisable on each of the next four anniversaries of the grant date.
- (2) The actual number of shares of common stock that will be issued at the time of exercise will be based on the appreciation of the common stock from the strike price to the market price and the time of exercise and is unknown at this time.
- Once exercisable, there is no expiration date for the Restricted Stock Units. The date referenced has no relevance and was inserted solely because the Edgar system required a date to be inserted in order to process this filing.

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