#### **CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC**

Form 4 May 09, 2006

#### 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,

obligations may continue. See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

value

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

EVANS RICHARD W JR		Symbol CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC [CFR]						Issuer (Check all applicable)			
		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2006						_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, CEO and President			
		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					I	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - N	on-	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	8)	4. Securitie or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 a	l of (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, \$0.01 par value	05/05/2006			М		110,600	, ,		316,635	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/05/2006			S		110,600	D	\$ 57.804	206,035	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par									120,003	I	Through limited partnership

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

41,289

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Through 401(k) Plan

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Secu Acqu Dispe		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.12	05/05/2006		M		110,600	10/22/2001	10/22/2007	Common Stock	110,600

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
EVANS RICHARD W JR			Chairman,					
100 WEST HOUSTON STREET	X		CEO and					
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205			President					

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Richard W.
Evans, Jr.

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date

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) Mr. Evans holds interests in and controls the limited partnership through its general partner, a limited liability company of which he is the sole manager.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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