

REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BARTHOLOMEW JR SAMUEL W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP [RF]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

424 CHURCH ST., STE. 2800

(Street)

NASHVILLE, TN 37219

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

05/26/2006

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

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  
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**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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	228	I	By Custodian For Child
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	489	I	By IRA
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	2,775	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 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)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units (DDSIP)	(1)	05/26/2006		A	1,350	(1) (1)		Common Stock	1,350
Stock Option	\$ 26.47					07/01/2004	10/18/2011	Common Stock	37,800
Stock Option	\$ 24.81					07/01/2004	10/08/2012	Common Stock	8,400
Stock Option	\$ 29.18					01/02/2003	01/02/2013	Common Stock	8,600
Stock Option	\$ 33.48					10/14/2003	10/14/2013	Common Stock	6,200
Stock Option	\$ 31.21					01/02/2004	01/02/2014	Common Stock	7,900
Stock Option	\$ 32.06					01/31/2005	01/31/2015	Common Stock	1,385

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BARTHOLOMEW JR SAMUEL W 424 CHURCH ST., STE. 2800 NASHVILLE, TN 37219	X			

## Signatures

By: Ronald C. Jackson  
Date: 05/26/2006

\_\_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) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Regions' Directors Deferred Stock Investment Plan.

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