COLONIAL BANCGROUP INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LOWDER ROBERT E Issuer Symbol COLONIAL BANCGROUP INC (Check all applicable) [CNB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) ONE COMMERCE STREET, 8TH 10/31/2005 **CEO FLOOR** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MONTGOMERY, AL 36104

| (City) | (State) | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3, | ispose | ed of (D) | 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) |
| Common Stock | 10/31/2005 | | Code V <u>J(1)</u> | Amount 242 | or (D) | Price \$ 20.64 | (Instr. 3 and 4) 6,077,383 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 25,960 | I | by Spouse |

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. DriNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 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 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 9.5775 | | | | | 01/15/1998 | 01/15/2007 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 9.5775 | | | | | 01/15/1998 | 01/15/2007 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 10.38 | | | | | 03/29/2001 | 03/29/2010 | Common Stock | 200,00 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 10.5 | | | | | 12/30/2000 | 12/30/2009 | Common Stock | 100,00 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.5313 | | | | | 12/30/1999 | 12/30/2008 | Common Stock | 100,00 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| LOWDER ROBERT E | | | | | | |
| ONE COMMERCE STREET, 8TH FLOOR | | | CEO | | | |
| MONTGOMERY, AL 36104 | | | | | | |

Signatures

Sheila P. Moody, Attorney in Fact 11/01/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Shares Issued through the Restricted Stock Plan for Directors.

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