

Adams D Scott
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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Adams D Scott

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH
(Street)

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PROTECTIVE LIFE CORP [PL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/05/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
SR VP, CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	03/05/2007		A		1,500	A	\$ 0
Common Stock					163.5395	I	
							By 401(k) <u>(1)</u>

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
<u>SAR 11</u> (2)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2008 03/05/2017	SAR 825	\$ 0
<u>SAR 11a</u> (2)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2009 03/05/2017	SAR 825	\$ 0
SAR 11b	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2010 03/05/2017	SAR 825	\$ 0
<u>SAR 11c</u> (2)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2011 03/05/2017	SAR 825	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Adams D Scott 2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223			SR VP, CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES	

Signatures

By: by Harriette Hyche
Attorney-in-Fact for

03/08/2007

**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) Total Shares held by reporting person in PLC's 401(k) & Stock Ownership Plan as of 3/1/07.

(2) Stock Appreciation Right awarded under the Protective Life Corporation Long-Term Incentive Plan in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3 becoming exercisable in equal installments over four years beginning 3/5/08.

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