

BLACKBURN RANDY C
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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 *
BLACKBURN RANDY C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EFC BANCORP INC [(EFC)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1695 LARKIN AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/21/2004

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

ELGIN, IL 60123

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 | 5,950 | I | By ESOP |

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)

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| 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Stock Option (right-to-buy) | \$ 24.9 | 12/21/2004 | | A | 5,000 | 12/21/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 12/21/2014 | Common Stock 5 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.13 | | | | | 10/27/1999 ⁽²⁾ 10/27/2008 | Common Stock 9 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right-to-buy) | \$ 26.25 | | | | | 01/21/2005 ⁽³⁾ 01/21/2014 | Common Stock 5 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BLACKBURN RANDY C 1695 LARKIN AVENUE ELGIN, IL 60123 | | | Executive Vice President | |

Signatures

By: /s/ James J. Kovac, Power of Attorney 12/23/2004

__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) Stock Options granted under the EFC Bancorp, Inc. 2000 Stock Option Plan will vest in five equal annual installments commencing on December 21, 2005.
- (2) Incentive Stock Options granted under the 1998 Stock-Based Incentive Plan are fully vested and exercisable.
- (3) Incentive Stock Options granted under the EFC Bancorp, Inc. 2000 Stock Option Plan will vest in five equal annual installments commencing on January 21, 2005.

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