COLONIAL BANCGROUP INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hicks Thomas Brent			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			COLONIAL BANCGROUP INC [CNB]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify		
545 LISMORE PLACE			(Month/Day/Year) 04/18/2006	below) Chief Accounting Officer		
(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		
MONTGOM	ERY, AL 36	117		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	04/18/2006		A(1)		2,362	A	\$ 25.4	6,325	D		
Common Stock	04/18/2006		A(2)		2,362	A	\$ 25.4	8,687	D		
Common Stock	04/18/2006		J <u>(3)</u>	V	24	A	\$ 25.02	8,711	D		
Common Stock	04/18/2006		J <u>(4)</u>	V	1,998	A	\$ 24.74 (5)	10,709	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.01					10/17/2006	10/17/2015	Common Stock	10,000
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.4	04/18/2006		A	10,545	04/18/2007	04/18/2016	Common Stock	10,545

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hicks Thomas Brent 545 LISMORE PLACE MONTGOMERY, AL 36117

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

/s/ T. Brent Hicks 04/19/2006

**Signature of Date
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) Service Based Restricted Stock Award. These restricted shares will vest 100% on the fifth anniversary of the grant date.

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- Performance Based Restricted Stock Award. The vesting of these restricted shares is based on BancGroup's EPS growth over the three year period ending December 31, 2008. The performance measure has been defined as the three-year compound annual growth rate (CAGR). At the end of the vesting period the employee will vest in 50%, 100% or 150% of the restricted shares awarded at the grant date depending on the actual growth in EPS. 31, 2008.
- (3) Shares issued through the Colonial BancGroup, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (4) Shares issued through the Colonial BancGroup, Inc. 401K Retirement Plan.
- (5) Average purchase price of 401K shares issued throughout the year.

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