BEAMAN JOSEPH F JR

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

	and Address of Reporting AN JOSEPH F JR	Symbol PEOPI	er Name and Ticker or Trading LES BANCORP OF NORTH PLINA INC [PEBK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last			of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2005	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Exec Vice Pres and CAO			
NEWT	(Street) ON, NC 268580467		nendment, Date Original onth/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City		(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	Person quired, 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. 4. Securities Acquired (Transactior Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Commo Stock	n 01/24/2005		$J_{\underline{(1)}}$ 9.57 A $\frac{\$}{20.253}$	640.5297 D			

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BEAMAN JOSEPH F JR P.O. BOX 467 NEWTON, NC 268580467

Exec Vice Pres and CAO

Signatures

Joseph F. 01/25/2005 Beaman, Jr.

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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) Directors and Officers Deferral Plan
- (2) Shares owned as joint tenants with Wife

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