

REINING ROGER SCOTT
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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 *
REINING ROGER SCOTT

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)
Senior Vice President

ELGIN, IL 60123

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					835	D	
Common Stock					4,688	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)

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 (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)	Amount or Number of Shares
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)	\$ 10.38					04/20/2000 ⁽²⁾ 04/20/2009	Common Stock	10
Incentive Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 26.25					01/21/2005 ⁽³⁾ 01/21/2014	Common Stock	5
Incentive Stock Options (right-to-buy)	\$ 9.5					07/18/2001 ⁽⁴⁾ 07/18/2010	Common Stock	9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
REINING ROGER SCOTT 1695 LARKIN AVENUE ELGIN, IL 60123	Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Reining,
Roger Scott
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) Options granted under the EFC Bancorp, Inc. 2000 Stock Option Plan will become fully vested and exercisable on April 20, 2004.

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- (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.
- (4) Options granted under the EFC Bancorp, Inc. 2000 Stock Option Plan vest in five equal annual installments commencing on July 18, 2001.

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