

FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/  
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# FORM 5

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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BLACK WILLIAM R**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/ [FCTR]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2004

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

CHARLOTTE, NC 28262-2373

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)	Amount (A) or Price (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/25/2004	^	W	10,000 A	\$ 20.91	73,343	D	^
Common Stock	04/08/2004	^	W	13,119 A	\$ 21.08	86,462	D	^
Common Stock	12/01/2004	^	W	1,375 A	\$ 28.11	87,837	D	^
Common Stock	12/03/2004	^	W	4,125 A	\$ 26.61	91,962	D	^

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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. F Der Sec (Ins
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 14.5	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(1)</u>	01/20/2010	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.75	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(1)</u>	01/17/2011	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.37	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(2)</u>	01/16/2012	Common Stock	3,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.708	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(1)</u>	02/20/2007	Common Stock	600
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(1)</u>	10/14/2009	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.81	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(3)</u>	01/22/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to	\$ 18.854	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <u>(1)</u>	05/19/2007	Common Stock	1,200

buy)

Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.02	^	^	^	^	^	^	^ (4)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	1,800
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Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.75	^	^	^	^	^	^	^ (1)	04/29/2008	Common Stock	1,000
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BLACK WILLIAM R 10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE CHARLOTTE, NC 28262-2373	^ X	^	^	^

## Signatures

Jan H. Hollar	02/11/2005
**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).
  - (4) Options are exercisable in 5 yearly installments beginning one year after grant date.
  - (1) All Options are currently exercisable
  - (2) 2,100 options are currently exercisable. The remaining 1,400 options are exercisable in equal installments on 01/16/2005 and 01/16/2006
  - (3) 1,666 options are currently exercisable. The remaining 3,334 options are exercisable in equal installments on 01/22/2005 and 01/22/2006
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