FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOORE BARB	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [FFG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/17/2005	Director 10% Owner State of the pelow of		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	n 01/17/2005		A	1,708	A	\$ 0	4,080	D	
Class A Common Stock	n 01/18/2005(1)		M	1,250	A	\$ 12.44	5,330	D	
Class A Common Stock	n 01/18/2005(1)		S	1,250	D	\$ 25.85	4,080	D	
Class A Common	1						2,543.727	I	by Trust

Stock

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. Numb or Derivation Securities Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 5)	es d (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
				Code V	(A)	(D)			
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.44	01/18/2005(1)		M		1,250	01/02/1998(2)	01/02/2007	Class A Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.35	01/17/2005		A	4,480		01/17/2006(2)	01/17/2015	Class A Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.35	01/17/2005		A	701		01/17/2005(2)	01/17/2015	Class A Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MOORE BARB 5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE			Vice President -				
WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266			Trestaent				

Signatures

Moore, Barbara	01/19/2005		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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Deletionships

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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) Transaction has been completed pursuant to Rule 10b5-1(c) Trading Plan dated December 14, 2004.
- (2) Shares become exercisable annually, beginning one year from the date of grant, pro-rata during a five year period, subject to compliance with annual dollar limits for incentive stock option grants.

Remarks:

Reporting person holds 2,543.727 shares in a company sponsored 401(k) Plan. Ownership form is Indirect and the nature of the Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.