

FIRST BANCORP /NC/
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FORM 4

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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TAW EDWARD T JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST BANCORP /NC/ [FBNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/28/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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		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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	Code			
Common Stock						5,355	D	
Common Stock						8,676.5	I	SPOUSE

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)

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 6.5553					06/01/1996 06/01/2006	Common Stock	900
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 10.222					06/01/1997 06/01/2007	Common Stock	1,650
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 10.5					06/01/2000 06/01/2010	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 11.1113					06/01/1999 06/01/2009	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 14.6667					06/01/1998 06/01/2008	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.3667					06/01/2002 06/01/2012	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 16					06/01/2001 06/01/2011	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.3					06/01/2003 06/01/2013	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Options	\$ 19.6867					06/01/2004 06/01/2014	Common Stock	2,250

(Right to buy)

Stock

Options (Right to buy)

\$ 22.12

06/28/2005

A

2,250

06/28/2005

06/28/2015

Common Stock

2,250

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAWS EDWARD T JR		X		

Signatures

Timothy S. Maples

06/30/2005

**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).

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