

JOHNSON FREDA S
Form 4
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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 *
JOHNSON FREDA S

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O MBIA, 113 KING STREET
(Street)
ARMONK, NY 10504
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MBIA INC [MBI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/23/2004

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)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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Derivative Security			(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
			Code	V					
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 62.9	12/23/2004	A		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	73.49	\$ 62.9
				73.49 <u>(1)</u>					
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 62.9	12/23/2004	A		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12.34	\$ 62.9
				12.34 <u>(3)</u>					

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JOHNSON FRED A S C/O MBIA 113 KING STREET ARMONK, NY 10504	X			

Signatures

/s/Leonard I. Chubinsky,
Attorney-in-Fact 12/28/2004

**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) Dividends credited to units acquired under Directors Deferred Compensation Plan for Retainer and Meeting Fees.
- (2) Exercisable and expiration dates of units is date of termination of Reporting Person's status as Director which triggers payment.
- (3) Dividends credited to units previously acquired on annual grants under Directors Deferred Compensation Plan.

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