

JENKINS BENJAMIN P III
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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 *
JENKINS BENJAMIN P III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WACHOVIA CORP NEW [WB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/27/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SEVP, Pres of General Bank

WACHOVIA CORPORATION, ONE WACHOVIA CENTER

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHARLOTTE, NC 28288

(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)	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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
Common Stock	04/27/2006		M		25,200	A	\$ 40.13	153,645	D	
Common Stock	04/27/2006		S		25,200	D	\$ 56.3735	128,445 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock								21,184.2865	I	By 401(k) plan
Common Stock								87,411	I	by BPJ Trust
								29,500	I	

Common
Stock

By
spouse

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
ESOP (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 40.13	04/27/2006		M	25,200	04/15/1998 04/15/2007	Common Stock	25,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JENKINS BENJAMIN P III WACHOVIA CORPORATION ONE WACHOVIA CENTER CHARLOTTE, NC 28288			SEVP, Pres of General Bank	

Signatures

Benjamin P.
Jenkins, III 04/27/2006

^{**}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) As of 4/27/06, includes 107,062 shares of unvested restricted stock with respect to which provisions exist to allow for the withholding of shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- (2)

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Provisions exist with respect to these shares to allow for the withholding of shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations and the withholding of shares in payment of the exercise price.

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