

Wenger E Philip
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Wenger E Philip</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION, ONE PENN SQUARE</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>LANCASTER, PA 17602</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>01/03/2006</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>FULTON FINANCIAL CORP [FULT]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Sr. Executive Vice President</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 39,150.7444 ⁽¹⁾ | D | ∧ |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 2,032 | I | Spouse |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 220 | I | Custodial Accounts for children |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---|--|--------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1996 | 06/30/2006 | Common Stock | 7,886 | \$ 6.66 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1997 | 06/30/2007 | Common Stock | 9,134 | \$ 10.39 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1998 | 06/30/2008 | Common Stock | 8,411 | \$ 11.89 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1998 | 06/30/2008 | Common Stock | 4,739 | \$ 11.89 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1999 | 06/30/2009 | Common Stock | 9,114 | \$ 10.97 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/1999 | 06/30/2009 | Common Stock | 3,230 | \$ 10.97 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2000 | 06/30/2010 | Common Stock | 3,491 | \$ 10.9 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2000 | 06/30/2010 | Common Stock | 9,170 | \$ 10.9 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2011 | Common Stock | 8,414 | \$ 11.89 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2011 | Common Stock | 8,814 | \$ 11.89 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2002 | 06/30/2012 | Common Stock | 11,819 | \$ 14.02 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2002 | 06/30/2012 | Common Stock | 7,131 | \$ 14.02 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2003 | 06/30/2013 | Common Stock | 13,093 | \$ 15.16 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2003 | 06/30/2013 | Common Stock | 6,595 | \$ 15.16 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2004 | 06/30/2014 | Common Stock | 37,558 | \$ 16.15 | D | Â |
| \$2.50 par value common stock | 07/01/2004 | 06/30/2014 | Common Stock | 6,193 | \$ 16.15 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Wenger E Philip C/O FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION ONE PENN SQUARE LANCASTER, PA 17602 | ^ | ^ | ^ | ^ |
| | | | Sr. Executive Vice President | |

Signatures

George R. Barr, Jr.,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/03/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Includes 24,900.4534 shares held jointly with spouse and 14,250.2910 held in the Fulton Financial Corporation Profit Sharing Plan.

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