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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Manley Richard A Symbol FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/ (Check all applicable) [FCTR] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First)

Director 10% Owner

Group Executive Vice President

below)

Other (specify

10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

\_ Officer (give title

X

below)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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12/31/2005

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| (City)                               | (State)                              | (Zip) Tab   | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |                                     |         |              |   |                 |   |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|--------------|---|-----------------|---|--|--|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)  | 4. Securiti or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4 | ed of ( |              | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned at end<br>of Issuer's<br>Fiscal Year<br>(Instr. 3 and<br>4) | Ownership Form: | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/18/2005                           | Â   | <u>J(1)</u>  | 4.0041                              | A       | \$ 21.82     | 463.8465  | D               | Â   |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/18/2005                           | Â   | <u>J(1)</u>  | 3.6587                              | A       | \$<br>24.088 | 467.5052  | D               | Â   |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 10/17/2005                           | Â   | <u>J(1)</u>  | 3.9184                              | A       | \$ 22.67     | 471.4236  | D               | Â   |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 08/31/2005                           | Â   | J(2)   | 824.14                              | A       | \$ 23.38     | 7,899.22  | I               | By 401(k)<br>Plan   |  |  |

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| Common<br>Stock                                       | 10/31/2005 | Â | J <u>(2)</u> | 63.788 | A        | \$ 25.49 | 7,963.008 | I | By 401(k)<br>Plan |
|---|------------|---|--------------|--------|----------|----------|-----------|---|-------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                                       | 11/30/2005 | Â | J(2)         | 13.631 | A        | \$ 25.03 | 7,976.639 | I | By 401(k)<br>Plan |
| Common<br>Stock                                       | 12/31/2005 | Â | J(2)         | 2.693  | A        | \$ 23.66 | 7,979.332 | I | By 401(k)<br>Plan |
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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(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. I<br>Der<br>Sec<br>(In |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
|   |   |   |   |   | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |                           |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 17.37  | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | (3)  | 01/16/2012         | Common<br>Stock   | 8,204                               |                           |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 18.39  | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | (3)  | 01/15/2013         | Common<br>Stock   | 10,214                              |                           |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 20.9   | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | (3)  | 02/25/2014         | Common<br>Stock   | 7,434                               |                           |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 22.5   | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | (4)  | 05/10/2009         | Common<br>Stock   | 5,000                               |                           |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 23.66  | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | (3)  | 01/19/2015         | Common<br>Stock   | 6,567                               |                           |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Manley Richard A

10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE Â Â Â Group Executive Vice President Â

CHARLOTTE, NCÂ 28262-2373

## **Signatures**

Robin S. Leslie, by Power of Attorney

02/03/2006

\*\*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) Shares aquired under the First Charter Corporation dividend reinvestment plan since the date of the reporting person's last report.
- (2) 401K Deferrals since reporting persons last form was filed.
- (3) Options are exercisable in 5 equal yearly installments beginning one year after grant date.
- (4) All Options are currently exercisable

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