FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/

Form 5

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person WARLICK L D JR	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/ [FCTR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE					
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
		(check applicable line)			

CHARLOTTE, NCÂ 28262-2373

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(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) (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	Â	Â	D	Â		
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	94.5725	A	\$ 22.0146	2,831.7829	I	Daughter - Laura		
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	94.5725	A	\$ 22.0146	2,831.7829	I	Daughter - Sarah		
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	50.795	A	\$ 22.0146	1,520.9503	I	LD Warlick - Custodian Laura		

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Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	50.795	A	\$ 22.0146	1,520.9503	I	LD Warlick - Custodian Sarah
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	4,243	I	MGGW Ltd. Partnership
Common Stock	10/18/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	47.561	A	\$ 22.0146	1,424.1124	I	Mollie - Custodian Laura
Common Stock	10/18/2005	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	47.561	A	\$ 22.0146	1,424.1124	I	Mollie - Custodian Sarah
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	356.988	A	\$ 22.0146	10,689.2496	I	Mother - Mary
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	398.5875	A	\$ 22.0146	11,934.8519	I	Spouse - Mollie
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	6,807	I	Spouse IRA - Mollie
Common Stock	10/18/2004	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	410.9972	A	\$ 22.0146	12,306.4348	I	Warlick Funeral Home, Inc.
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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)	of		Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			ate	7. Title and a Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 E S (I
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock	Â	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	37.903					
Stock Options (Right to	\$ 15.75	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	01/17/2011	Common Stock	720					

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buy)										
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.37	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(4)	01/16/2012	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.81	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(5)	01/22/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.02	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(6)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.66	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(6)	01/19/2015	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
troporting of their state of their con-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe				
WARLICK L D JR 10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE CHARLOTTE, NC 28262-2373	ÂX	Â	Â	Â				

Signatures

Jan H. Hollar 02/11/2005

**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).
- (1) Shares aquired under the First Charter Corporation dividend reinvestment plan since the date of the reporting person's last report.
- (6) Options are exercisable in 5 yearly installments beginning one year after grant date.
- (2) Non-Employee directors may withdraw common stock from the deferred comp plan the first day of the calendar month following retirement, death, or termination.
- (4) 1,500 options currently exercisable. The remaining 1,000 options are exercisable in equal installments on 01/16/2005 and 01/16/2006
- (3) 360 options currently exercisable. The remaining 360 options are exercisable on 01/17/2005.
- (5) 1,666 options are currently exercisable. The remaining 3,334 options are exercisable in equal installments on 01/22/2005 and 01/22/2006 Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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