

State Auto Financial CORP
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â KUNK JAMES E
(Last) (First) (Middle)

7298 ROSEGATE PLACE
(Street)

DUBLIN,Â OHÂ 43017
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
08/04/2006

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
State Auto Financial CORP [STFC]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

5. 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

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)

Common Shares without par value

4,550

D Â

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

Date
Exercisable

Expiration
Date

3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title

Amount or
Number of

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Director Stock Option	05/28/1998	05/27/2008	Common Shares	2,000	\$ 15.3125	D	Â
Director Stock Option	05/27/1999	05/26/2009	Common Shares	1,000	\$ 12	D	Â
Director Stock Option	05/25/2000	05/24/2010	Common Shares	1,000	\$ 10.375	D	Â
Director Stock Option	05/25/2001	05/24/2011	Common Shares	1,500	\$ 16.47	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KUNK JAMES E 7298 ROSEGATE PLACE DUBLIN, OH 43017	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ James E. Kunk by John R. Lowther, attorney in fact pursuant to a POA filed with the
Commission on 8-14-06

08/14/2006

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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