

FLANAGAN LEO M JR
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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 *
FLANAGAN LEO M JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EFC BANCORP INC [(EFC)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1695 LARKIN AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/29/2004

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman of the Board

ELGIN, IL 60123

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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) | 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/29/2004 | | M | 5,060 A \$ 11.125 | 42,904 ⁽¹⁾ | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 3,430 ⁽²⁾ | I | By 401(k) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 3,815 ⁽³⁾ | I | By ESOP |
| Common Stock | | | | | 2,294 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By Gen. Partnership ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 12,692 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By IRA |

Common Stock 5,000 I By Spouse

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

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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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.125 | 12/29/2004 | | M | 5,060 | 10/27/1999 ⁽⁴⁾ 10/27/2008 | Common Stock | 5,060 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FLANAGAN LEO M JR 1695 LARKIN AVENUE ELGIN, IL 60123 | X | | Chairman of the Board | |

Signatures

/s/ Flanagan, Jr.,
Leo M. 12/30/2004

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions under a Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (2) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions and dividend reinvestment under a 401(k) plan.
- (3) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions and dividend reinvestment under an ESOP.
- (4) Incentive Stock Options granted under the 1998 Stock-Based Incentive Plan are fully vested and exercisable.

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