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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Hicks Thomas Brent**

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COLONIAL BANCGROUP INC

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

[CNB]

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Chief Accounting Officer

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

02/17/2009

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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MONTGOMERY, AL 36117

8101 WYNDRIDGE DRIVE

(City)	(State)	Tab.	le I - No	on-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported (Instr. 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/17/2009		E(1)		2,362	D	\$ 0.47	33,312	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2009		J(2)	V	87	A	\$ 1.7075	33,399	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2009		J <u>(3)</u>	V	1,713	A	\$ 1.5794 (4)	35,112	D	

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.01					10/17/2006 <u>(5)</u>	10/17/2015	Common Stock	10,00
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.4					04/18/2007(5)	04/18/2016	Common Stock	10,54
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.81					01/16/2008(5)	01/16/2017	Common Stock	11,23
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.29					01/15/2009(5)	01/15/2018	Common Stock	30,63

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hicks Thomas Brent 8101 WYNDRIDGE DRIVE MONTGOMERY, AL 36117

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

/s/ T. Brent Hicks 02/19/2009

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) Performance based restricted shares that expired due to the performance criteria not having been achieved.
- (2) Shares purchased through the Colonial BancGroup, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Shares purchased through the Colonial BancGroup, Inc. 401K Retirement Plan.
- (4) Average purchase price of 401K shares issued throughout the year.
- (5) Options vest in 5 equal installments, 20% annually beginning one year from the date of grant.

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