#### BURKEMPER BERNARD N

Form 4

January 24, 2006

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BURKEMPER BERNARD N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
φ	<b>7</b> 7		STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]				[31]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction									
10 1/201 11/2015			(Month/Day/Year)						Director		Owner er (specify	
19 MCCLAY ROAD			01/20/2006					Officer (give titleX Other (specify below)				
(Street) 4. If			4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(				iled(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
WINFIELD, MO 63389												
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any			4. Securities Acquired action(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			d of (D)	Owned Indirect (I) Own			
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 5 alid 4)			
Common Stock	01/20/2006			M		1,212	A	\$ 0	18,334	D		
Common Stock	01/20/2006			F		469	D	\$ 38.25	17,865	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	01/20/2006		M	1,212	01/01/2006(1)	(2)	Common Stock	1,212	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 7.8					<u>(3)</u>	01/02/2012	Common Stock	2,667	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 7.8281					<u>(1)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,334	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
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BURKEMPER BERNARD N 19 MCCLAY ROAD WINFIELD, MO 63389

Controller

### **Signatures**

BERNARD N BURKEMPER 01/24/2006

\*\*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) Currently exercisable.
- (2) No expiration date for these Units.
- (3) Options vest in 20% increments on 1/2/03, 1/2/04, 1/2/05, 1/2/06 and 1/2/07.

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#### (4) Various expiration dates.

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