FIRST BUSEY CORP /NV/

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * AMBROSE JOSEPH M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST BUSEY CORP /NV/ [BUSE]			Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner			
903 E. VINE ST.			04/25/2006				Officer (gi	ve titleOt below)	her (specify
				If Amendment, Date Original lled(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LEROY, IL 61752						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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)
Common							54,593	D	
Common							4,950	I	Custodian for children

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out 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)		8 D S (I
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 20.71	04/25/2006		A	4,500	01/21/2009	12/15/2011	Common Stock	4,500	
Stock Option	\$ 19.83					01/21/2006	12/15/2009	Common Stock	4,500	
Stock Option	\$ 18.07					01/21/2005	12/15/2008	Common Stock	4,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
AMBROSE JOSEPH M 903 E. VINE ST. LEROY, IL 61752	X					

Signatures

/s/ Barbara J.

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**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).

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