CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bracher Paul			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC [CFR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 100 WEST He	(First)	(Middle) TREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2008	Director 10% Owner Nother (give title below) below) President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	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 (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			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 Stock, \$0.01 par value	04/29/2008		Code V M	Amount 5,500	(D)	Price \$ 38.12		D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	04/29/2008		S	5,500	D	\$ 56.084	63,383	D	
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Common Through Stock, 22,933 I 401(k) \$0.01 par Plan value

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onof Derivative		erivative Expiration Date rities (Month/Day/Year) rosed of 3, 4,		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
Employee Stock Option	\$ 38.12	04/29/2008		M		5,500	10/01/2006	10/01/2009	Common Stock	5,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bracher Paul 100 WEST HOUSTON STREET SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205			President				

Signatures

(right to buy)

/s/ Paul Bracher 04/30/2008 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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