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FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form 4 September 19, 2006 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Trost Bruce A Issuer Symbol FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC (Check all applicable) [FFG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE 09/18/2006 Exec VP - P/C Companies (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial anv (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of | 8. Pric |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | onof Derivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities | Deriva |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | Securi |

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | | (Instr. | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-----|---|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|----------------------------|---------|-------|
| | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | |
| Deferred Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 09/18/2006 | | А | | 61.76 | | (2) | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 61.76 | \$ 33 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| Trost Bruce A 5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266 | | | Exec VP - P/C Companies | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | |
| By: Doug Shelton, per filed confirming stmt For: Bruce A. 09/19/2006 | | | | | | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Report | 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) None

(2) The deferred stock units were accrued under the FBL Financial Group, Inc. Executive Salary and Bonus Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be settled upon the conclusion of service or a date specified by the reporting person.

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