#### **BUCHANAN DAVID**

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BUCHANAN DAVID** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP

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(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

02/08/2006

\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_X\_\_ Other (specify below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

below) Executive Officer / Executive Officer

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, SUITE 1550

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

ATLANTA, GA 30305

(City)	(State) (Zi	Table 1	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acquir	ed, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	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)
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common	02/08/2006		Code V	Amount 4,220	(D)	Price \$ 16.964	5,612	D	

Stock

**Fidelity** Southern

Corporation

- Common

 $2,748 \frac{(1)}{2}$ 

By 401(k) (1)

Stock

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu		8 I
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		(Instr. 3 and 4)		S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0 (2) (3)					<u>(4)</u>	12/16/2006	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	25,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**BUCHANAN DAVID** 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD **SUITE 1550** ATLANTA, GA 30305

Executive Officer Executive Officer

# **Signatures**

By: Barbara McNeill, Attorney 02/08/2006 in Fact

\*\*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) Purchased 196 shares at various times and prices during 2004 in the Fidelity Southern Corporation 401(k) Plan
- (2) Multiple prices

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- (3) Granted 30,000 shares on 12/16/1999 @ \$7.0625 Granted 10,000 shares on 4/24/2002 @ 10.75
- (4) Depends on variable vesting schedule

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