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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRADLEY MARK R	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST TRUST/GALLATIN SPECIALTY FINANCE & FINANCIAL OPPORTUNITIES FUND [FGB]					
(Last) (First) (Middle		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
1001 WARRENVILLE ROAD, SUITE 300		(Check all applicable)			, , , ,		
(Street) LISLE, IL 60532		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	_X_ Othe	ow) O/	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivati	ve Securiti	es Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)	Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*		
Common Shares	0		D	Â			
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Delivative	Security.	

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Date Expiration Exercisable Date

Security Amount or Number of Shares

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRADLEY MARK R

1001 WARRENVILLE ROAD **SUITE 300**

Â À Treasurer, Controller, CFO Officer-Investment Adviser

LISLE, ILÂ 60532

Signatures

/s/ Mark R. Bradley, by Kristi A. Maher, attorney-in-fact, pursuant to a Power of Attorney

05/24/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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