ADAMS ROBERT D Form 4/A

August 29, 2006

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
ADAMS ROBERT D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Middle)

BANNER CORP [BANR]

(Check all applicable)

C/O BANNER CORP, 10 SOUTH

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

FIRST AVENUE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Price

(2)(3)

08/25/2006

08/23/2006

WALLA WALLA, WA 99362

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 3. Transactionr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

7. Nature of 5. Amount of Ownership Securities Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (Instr. 4)

(A) or (D) Code V Amount

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock,

\$.01 par 08/23/2006

\$ 560.399 A A (2)

41.345  $88,272 \frac{(4)}{}$ D

value per share (1)

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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ADAMS ROBERT D C/O BANNER CORP 10 SOUTH FIRST AVENUE WALLA WALLA, WA 99362	X						

# **Signatures**

/s/Robert D. 08/29/2006 Adams

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **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) Phantom Stock Units acquired pursuant to deferred compensation agreement; settled in stock at termination of service.
- (2) This amendment is being filed to correct the number and price of the shares acquired.
- (3) Market price on August 22, 2006 used by deferred compensation plan administrator.
- Includes direct ownership of 2,302 shares through IRA and 56,398 shares through Deferred Compensation Plan. Also includes indirect ownership of 2,184 shares through spouse.

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