Hall Lyle Jr Form 4 February 24, 2006

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Hall Lyle Jr

(Last)

(City)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

REPUBLIC FIRST BANCORP INC

[FRBK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/23/2006

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title

Other (specify

1608 WALNUT STREET, SUITE

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

1000

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	· · · · · ·	any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
		•				Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
							Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			G 1 17		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common	02/23/2006		Р	500	Α	\$	29,467	D	
Stock						14.1	_,,,		
Common						\$			
Stock	02/23/2006		P	100	A	Ψ 1/1/2	29,467	D	
Stock						17.4			

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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)		4. Transacti	5. onNumber	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)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/ e		Underly Securitic (Instr. 3	ring es	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Number		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			•	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hall Lyle Jr				
1608 WALNUT STREET	X			
SUITE 1000	Λ			

## **Signatures**

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Lyle Hall, Jr. 02/24/2006

\*\*Signature of Person 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).

Relationships

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