CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

Form 4 April 27, 2009

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Form 4 or 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 * KLEBERG RICHARD M III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

[CFR]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2009

1250 N. E. LOOP 410, SUITE 555 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

below)

Issuer

X_ Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Other (specify

Person

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78209

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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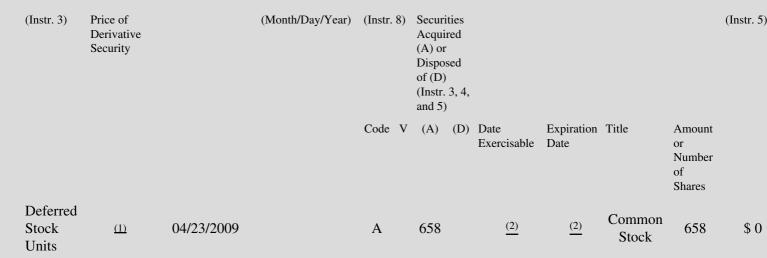
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Conversion Security or Exercise any

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** Transactionof Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Code

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** Derivativ (Instr. 3 and 4) Security

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KLEBERG RICHARD M III 1250 N. E. LOOP 410 SUITE 555 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78209	X			

Signatures

/s/ Richard M.
Kleberg, III.

**Signature of Reporting Date

**Signature of 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) Each deferred stock unit represents the right to receive one share of Cullen/Frost common stock.
- (2) The deferred stock units are vested on April 23, 2009. Shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the date when the reporting person experiences a separation from service with Cullen/Frost.

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