CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

may continue. See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

value

(Print or Type Responses)

FROST PATRICK B

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

				CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC [CFR]					INC	(Che	ck all applicabl	e)	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 WEST HOUSTON STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2010						_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Pres., The Frost National Bank			
(Street) SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205			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 Person				
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securir (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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)	
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	10/22/2010			F		1,032	D	\$ 52.82 (1)	135,668	D		
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value									630	I (2)	By Spouse	
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par									3,855	I	Trustee for Children	

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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	43,582	I (3)	Through Trust
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	1,486.44	I (4)	Through Limited Liability Company
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	24,486	I	Through 401(k) Plan

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	.	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FROST PATRICK B 100 WEST HOUSTON STREET SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205	X		Pres., The Frost National Bank					

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/s/ Patrick B. 10/26/2010 Frost

**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) Reflects the withholding of Common Stock to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligation.
- (2) Mr. Frost disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (3) Reflects limited partnership ("LP") interests held by a trust of which Mr. Frost is the trustee. The number of shares reported assumes that each LP interest represents a proportionate interest in the shares of common stock in which the LP has a pecuniary interest.
- (4) The number of shares reported assumes each limited liability company interest represents a proportionate interest in the shares of common stock in which the limited liability company has a pecuniary interest. Mr. Frost is the manager of the limited liability company.

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