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### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|                        | ss of Reporting Person | n*       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP [ COF | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |                                     |                       |  |  |
|------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| FAIRBANK RICHARD D     |                        |          |                                                                                 | X                                                                       | Director                            | 10% Owner             |  |  |
| (Last)                 | (First)                | (Middle) | 1                                                                               |                                                                         | Officer (give title<br>below)       | Other (specify below) |  |  |
| 1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE |                        |          | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/01/2005                  |                                                                         | Chairman, CEO and President         |                       |  |  |
| (Street)               |                        |          | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                        | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)                |                                     |                       |  |  |
| MCLEAN                 | VA                     | 22102    |                                                                                 | X                                                                       | Form filed by One Reporti           | ing Person            |  |  |
| (City)                 | (State)                | (Zip)    |                                                                                 |                                                                         | Form filed by More than C<br>Person | One Reporting         |  |  |

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

|                                 | 1                                          |                                                             |                              |   | 1      |               | 1       |                                                                           |                                                                   |                                                                   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------|---------------|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   |        |               |         | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                 |                                            |                                                             | Code                         | v | Amount | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                                        |                                                                   | (11150.4)                                                         |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>     | 02/01/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>                  |                                                             | S                            |   | 200    | D             | \$79.52 | 742,046                                                                   | D                                                                 |                                                                   |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>     | 02/01/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>                  |                                                             | S                            |   | 100    | D             | \$79.54 | 741,946                                                                   | D                                                                 |                                                                   |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>     | 02/01/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>                  |                                                             | S                            |   | 600    | D             | \$79.57 | 741,346                                                                   | D                                                                 |                                                                   |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>     | 02/01/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>                  |                                                             | S                            |   | 300    | D             | \$79.58 | 741,046                                                                   | D                                                                 |                                                                   |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>     | 02/01/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>                  |                                                             | S                            |   | 100    | D             | \$79.59 | 740,946                                                                   | D                                                                 |                                                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                            |                                                             |                              |   |        |               |         | 107,502                                                                   | I                                                                 | By<br>Fairbank<br>Morris<br>Inc.                                  |

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

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|                                                               | 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 5. Nu<br>of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) or<br>Dispo<br>of (D)<br>(Instr<br>and 5 | ative<br>rities<br>ired<br>osed<br>. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | 7. Title<br>Amour<br>Securi<br>Underl<br>Deriva<br>Securi<br>and 4) | nt of<br>ties<br>ying<br>tive<br>ty (Instr. 3 | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|                                                               |                                                     |                                                                       |                                            |                                                             | Code                         | v | (A)                                                                                  | (D)                                       | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                  | Title                                         | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |                                                                                                                            |                                                                          |                                                                    |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was executed pursuant to a trading plan entered into by the Reporting Person on November 12, 2004 in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. 2. Due to SEC rules limiting the number of non-derivative transactions that can be reported on a single Form 4, this Form 4 is a continuation of the Form 4 filed for the same date listed above.

**Remarks:** 

| By: Polly A. Nyquist (POA on | 02/03/2005 |
|------------------------------|------------|
| <u>File)</u>                 | 02/03/2003 |

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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