FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* MORRIS NIGEL W | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP [COF] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Own | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---|--|--|---|--------------|---|----------------|-----------------------|---|--|---------|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE | | | | | | of Ea 2003 | rliest Trans | action (M | onth/[| Day/Year) | X | Officer (give title below) Vice Chairman | | | | pecify | | | |
| (Street) MCLEAN VA 22102 | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of 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 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (9 | State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | Person | | | | | | | |
| | | Ta | ıble I - Non-D | erivati | ive S | ecur | ities Ac | quired, | Dis | posed o | f, or Be | enefic | cially | Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | Dat | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | Amount (A) or Br | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | М | | 25,000 | (D) A | \$ | 16.25 | (Instr. 3 and 4) 26,868 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 2,500 | _ | _ | 59.55 | _ | 368 | | D | | | |
| Common | | | | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | -+ | | Г | - | \$60 | | ,868 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 5,000 | Г | \$ | 60.05 | 11,868 | | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 1,000 | Г | 5 | \$60.1 | 10,868 | | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 5,000 | Г | \$ | 60.25 | 5,8 | 5,868 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 3,000 | D | 5 | \$60.3 | 2,8 | 2,868 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/12/2003 | | | | S | | 1,000 | Г | \$ | 60.42 | 1,8 | 1,868 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | М | | 128,95 | 8 A | \$ | 16.25 | 130,826 | | | D | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 32,500 |) <u> </u> | | \$60 | 98,3 | 8,326 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 65,000 |) [| \$ | 60.05 | 33,3 | ,326 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 5,000 | Г | \$ | 60.15 | 28,3 | 326 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 8,958 | Г |) [| \$60.2 | 19,3 | ,368 | | D | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 10,000 |) [| \$ | 60.25 | 9,368 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 2,500 | Г | \$ | 60.28 | 6,868 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | 1 | 11/13/2003 | | | | S | | 5,000 | Г | \$ | 60.35 | 1,868 | | | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 107,502 | | | I I | By Fairbank Morris Inc. | |
| | | | Table II - De | | | | | | | osed of, convertib | | | | wned | | | | | |
| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. | | 5. Number of 6. Derivative E | | 6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da | ercisa Date | able and | 7. Title a of Secur Underlyi Derivativ | 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported | e sally g | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | | Date Exercisab | | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of S | | | Transacti (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$16.25 | 11/12/2003 | | М | | 25,000 12 | | 12/18/1997 ⁽²⁾ | | 12/18/2007 | Common Stock | 25 | ,000 | \$0 | 128,958 | | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$16.25 | 11/13/2003 | | М | М | | 128,958 | 12/18/1997 ⁽² | | 12/18/2007 | Common Stock | 128 | 3,958 | \$0 0 | | | D | | |

1. This transaction was executed pursuant to a trading plan entered into by the Reporting Person on August 6, 2003 in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

2. This option became exercisable upon stockholder approval on April 23, 1998, since the performance-based vesting criteria of the option was satisfied on April 16, 1998, the date on which the trading price of the Common Stock first exceeded \$84.00 (pre-stock split) for at least ten trading days in any thirty calendar-day period on or before the third anniversary of the grant date of this option.

Remarks:

By: Frank R. Borchert III (POA on File)

** 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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