

FIRST BANCORP /NC/
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BRIGGS JACK D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST BANCORP /NC/ [FBNC]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2004

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

P. O. BOX 218

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

DENTON, NC 27239

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owners (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	06/25/2004	^	L	117.1875	A	\$ 21.3333	87,801.1197	D	^
Common Stock	11/25/2004	^	L	92.5926	A	\$ 27	87,893.7123	D	^
Common Stock	^	^	^	^	^	^	800	I	Spouse
Common Stock	^	^	^	^	^	^	859.6829	I	Custodian/Jodie Briggs/UGMA
Common Stock	^	^	^	^	^	^	428.0924	I	Custodian/Jodie Briggs/UTTMA

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

Timothy S.
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Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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