#### FLOWERS FOODS INC

Form 4

February 17, 2006

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** GRISWOLD BENJAMIN H IV			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
	ast) (First) (Middle) FLOWERS FOODS, 1919 VERS CIRCLE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2006						(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
THOMASV	(Street) ILLE, GA 3175	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-I	<b>De</b> i	rivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Transaction Code I (Instr. 8) (		4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price			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	02/16/2006			M		586	A	\$0	25,586	D			
Common									1,500 (1)	I	By Spouse		

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)

E S	. Title of Derivative ecurity (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. 5. Number Transactionof Code Derivative (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Da e (Month/Day/Y	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
S	Restricted Stock Award (2)	\$ 0	02/16/2006		M	580	5 02/16/2006	(3)	Common Stock	586	\$
S	Restricted Stock Award (2)	\$ 0					06/06/2006	(3)	Common Stock	3,912	

## **Reporting Owners**

#### Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10%
Owner Other

GRISWOLD BENJAMIN H IV C/O FLOWERS FOODS 1919 FLOWERS CIRCLE THOMASVILLE, GA 31757



## **Signatures**

Stephen R. Avera, 02/17/2006 Agent

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date

## **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) Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.
- (3) No expiration date.

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