

FORGOTSON MERRILL J
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FORGOTSON MERRILL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CORNERSTONE BANCORP INC [CBN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
7 BAYBERRY LANE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/05/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

WESTPORT, CT 06880

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 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	01/06/2005	01/05/2005	W	(A) 3,025 (1)	\$ 12.397	I	By wife
Common Stock	01/06/2005	01/05/2005	W	(A) 6,050 (1)	\$ 16.012	I	By wife
Common Stock					1,251.987 (3)	I	By wife as custodian for child
Common Stock					60	I	By child
Common Stock					7,700	D	

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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
Employee Stock Option - right to buy	\$ 13.636					05/29/2001 05/29/2011	Common Stock 22,000
Employee Stock Option - right to buy	\$ 14.545					01/02/2002 01/02/2012	Common Stock 2,200
Employee Stock Option - right to buy	\$ 20.3					01/02/2004 01/02/2014	Common Stock 2,000
Non employee stock option - right to buy	\$ 12.397	01/06/2005	01/05/2005	W	3,025 <u>(1)</u>	05/21/1997 05/21/2007	Common Stock 3,025 <u>(1)</u>
Non employee stock option - right to buy	\$ 16.012	01/06/2005	01/05/2005	W	6,050 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/1997 12/31/2007	Common Stock 6,050 <u>(1)</u>
Non employee stock option - right to buy	\$ 12.397	01/06/2005	01/05/2005	M	3,025 <u>(1)</u>	05/21/1997 05/21/2007	Common Stock 3,025 <u>(1)</u>

