

OBrien Edward 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 *
OBrien Edward J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

STATE STREET
CORPORATION, ONE LINCOLN
STREET

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02111

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
STATE STREET CORP [STT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/25/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
EVP and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (D) or Price (A)		
Common Stock	01/25/2006		M		3,266 A \$ 34.1562	13,001	D
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S		1,100 D \$ 59.95	11,901	D
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S		1,300 D \$ 59.96	10,601	D
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S		300 D \$ 59.97	10,301	D
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S		566 D \$ 59.98	9,735	D

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Common Stock 3,941 I 401(k) Plan ⁽¹⁾

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.1562	01/25/2006		M	3,266	06/18/2001 06/19/2008	Common Stock	3,266

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
OBrien Edward J STATE STREET CORPORATION ONE LINCOLN STREET BOSTON, MA 02111			EVP and Treasurer	

Signatures

Richard P. Jacobson, Attorney-in-Fact 01/25/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

The reporting person indirectly beneficially owns 3,941 shares of State Street common stock through State Street Corporation's 401(k) plan, as of January 23, 2006. The plan accounts for interest in units of shares and a small amount of cash. As a result, the number of underlying shares may fluctuate from time to time.

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