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FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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FLOYD JO	Symbol Ameris	Symbol Ameris Bancorp [ABCB]			Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (N		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			10%	Owner	
P.O. BOX 3668		`	02/21/2006			e title Other below)		
	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MOULTRI	E, GA 31776	Filed(Mo	nth/Day/Year	·)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person	One Reporting Pe More than One Re		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities A	equired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)			on(A) or Disposed of (D		Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Manth/Day/Vaan)	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A)	Reported	(======================================	(
				(A) or	Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	.	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FLOYD JOHNNY W						
P.O. BOX 3668	X					
MOULTRIE, GA 31776						

Signatures

Johnny W. Floyd, by Cara P. Horne,
Attorney-In-Fact

**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).

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