FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** BRANNEN JAMES	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [FFG]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Other (specify		
5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE	03/11/2013	below) below) Chief Executive Officer		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
WEST DES MOINES LA 50266		Form filed by More than One Reporting		

Person

WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266

(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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	ODD Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	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)
Class A Common Stock	03/11/2013		Code V M	Amount 2	(D)	Price \$ 12.9	2	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/11/2013		S	2	D	\$ 38.2243	0	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/11/2013		M	5,005	A	\$ 18.62	5,005	D	
Class A Common	03/11/2013		S	5,005	D	\$ 38.2243	0	D	

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Stock								
Class A Common Stock	03/11/2013	M	5,809	A	\$ 12.9	5,809	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/11/2013	S	5,809	D	\$ 38.2243	0	D	
Class A Common Stock						8,841.607	I	by Trust

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. Transactic 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 Ame Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or No of Sh
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.9	03/11/2013		M	2	01/15/2010(2)	01/15/2019	Class A Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.9	03/11/2013		M	5,809	01/15/2010(2)	01/15/2019	Class A Common Stock	5
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.62	03/11/2013		M	5,005	01/15/2011(2)	01/15/2020	Class A Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

2 Reporting Owners

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BRANNEN JAMES 5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE WEST DES MOINES, IA 50266 Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

By: Robert Simons per filed confirming stmt For: James Patrick Brannen

03/13/2013

**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).
- (1) Reporting person holds 8,841.607 shares in a company sponsored 401(k) plan. Ownership form is indirect and the nature of the indirect beneficial ownership is by Trust.
- (2) Shares become exercisable annually, beginning one year from the date of grant, pro-rata during a five year period, subject to compliance with annual dollar limits for incentive stock option grants.

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