#### FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/

Form 4

November 06, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2 Jasuar Nama and Tiakar or Trading

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

BURT JAMES E III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST CHARTER CORP /NC/ [FCTR]					Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2007			_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
CHARLOT	(Street) TE, NC 28262-2	373		ndment, Da nth/Day/Year	ŭ	1			•	Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities A	cquired, Disposed	l of, or Benefic	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D) 4 and (A) or	)	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								20,350	D		
Common Stock								110,000	I	Burt Mgmt Ltd Partnership	
Common Stock								10,808	I	Spouse - Judith	

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)	ransactionDerivative lode Securities		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 of Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	11/02/2007		A	142.808		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	142.808
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.37						(3)	01/16/2012	Common Stock	2,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.81						(3)	01/22/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.02						(3)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.66						(3)	01/19/2015	Common Stock	2,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BURT JAMES E III 10200 DAVID TAYLOR DRIVE CHARLOTTE, NC 28262-2373	X						
Signatures							
Stephen J Antal, by Power of Attorney		11/06/2007					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					

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- \* 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).
- (2) Non-Employee directors may withdraw common stock from the deferred comp plan the first day of the calendar month following retirement, death, or termination.
- (3) All Options are currently exercisable
- (1) One for One

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