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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person – WHITFORD THOMAS K				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PNC FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP INC [PNC]							~1	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner																
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE PNC FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC., ONE PNC PLAZA				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2004									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP and Chief Risk Officer															
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ Form	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)X_Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting Person																
(City)		15222-2707 (State)	(Zip)																									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year				ate, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		A. Securities Acquired (A or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		A) 5. Amount of Sect Owned Following Transaction(s)		urities Beneficially		6. 7 Ownership In Form: B		7. Nature of ndirect													
				(Month/Day/Year)		/Year)	Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Ì	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(D) Owner (Instruction 4)	vnership astr. 4)										
\$5 Par Coi	\$5 Par Common Stock 01/07/2004		01/07/2004				M ⁽¹⁾		18,703	A	\$ 43.81	99,632	99,632		I	D												
\$5 Par Coi	\$5 Par Common Stock 01/0		01/07/2004			F ⁽¹⁾		1,071	D	\$ 53.87	98,561	98,561		I	D													
\$5 Par Coi	mmon Sto	ek	01/07/2004				F ⁽¹⁾		15,208	D	\$ 53.87	83,353			I)												
\$5 Par Co	mmon Sto	ck										7,081			I		401((k)Plan										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	(e.g., puts, cal 4. 5. N Transaction Code Sec (Instr. 8) Acc Dis			curities Acquir s, warrants, op fumber of ivative		Expiration Date of U (Month/Day/Year) Sec		lly Owned	Amount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe Derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following	e Ow For Illy Der Sec		ty: Ownersh (Instr. 4)												
														Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date	e rcisable	Expira Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	n(s)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.81	01/07/2004		М			18,703	01/0	03/2004	01/03	/2013	\$5 Par Common Stock	18,703	\$ 0	43,04	7	D											
Employee Stock Option (Right-to- Buy) Reload Option		01/07/2004		A		16,27	9	01/0	07/2005	01/03	/2013	\$5 Par Common Stock	16,279	\$ 0	16,279	9	D											

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WHITFORD THOMAS K THE PNC FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC. ONE PNC PLAZA PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-2707			EVP and Chief Risk Officer				

Signatures	
Mark C. Joseph, Attorney-In-Fact for Thomas K. Whitford	01/09/2004
-*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) The exercise of this option and the satisfaction of the resulting tax withholding obligation were effected by the Reporting Person through the delivery, via attestation, of already owned shares of common stock of the Issuer and did not involve an open market transaction in the Issuer's securities.

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