ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC

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FORM 4

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

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FERNANDEZ JOSE ENRIQUE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [ofg]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
PO BOX 195115			04/15/2005	below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Donivative Committee Age	guined Disposed of an Donoficially Owns		

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Transactio	on(A) or Dis	sposed	of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	04/15/2005		M	88,845	A	\$0	2,528,559	D	

		Code V Amount		or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	
Common Stocks	04/15/2005	M	88,845	A	\$0	2,528,559	D
Common Stocks	04/15/2005	M	57,653	A	\$ 0.11	2,586,212	D
Common Stocks	04/15/2005	M	43,065	A	\$ 2.59	2,629,277	D
Common Stocks	04/15/2005	M	22,181	A	\$ 10.14	2,651,458	D
Common Stocks	04/15/2005	M	97,783	A	\$ 12.02	2,749,241	D

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 0	04/15/2005		M		88,845	04/05/2005	04/15/2005	Common Stocks	88,845
Stock Options	\$ 0.11	04/15/2005		M		57,653	04/05/2005	04/15/2005	Common Stocks	57,653
Stock Options	\$ 2.59	04/15/2005		M		43,065	04/05/2005	04/15/2005	Common Stock	43,065
Stock Options	\$ 10.14	04/15/2005		M		22,181	04/05/2005	04/15/2005	Common Stocks	22,181
Stock Options	\$ 12.02	04/15/2005		M		97,783	04/05/2005	04/15/2005	Common Stocks	97,783

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FERNANDEZ JOSE ENRIQUE								
PO BOX 195115	X							
SAN JUAN, PR 009195115								

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Signatures

Jose E. 04/19/2005 Fernandez

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Stock Options Incentive Plan 1988
- (2) Stock Options Incentive Plan 1996

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