

CROCKER CHARLES

Form 4

January 11, 2006

**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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**CROCKER CHARLES**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BEI TECHNOLOGIES,  
INC., ONE POST STREET, SUITE  
2500**

(Street)

**SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**FRANKLIN RESOURCES INC  
[BEN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**01/09/2006**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (D)                                                                  | Price                                                             |

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)**

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Ar<br>Underlying Se<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                           |                           |                                        |   |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------|---|
|                                                     |                                                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V                                                                                                         | (A)                                                            | (D)                                                  | Date Exercisable          | Expiration Date           | Title                                  | A |
| Deferred<br>Director's<br>Fees<br>(FRI)             | <u>(1)</u>                                                            | 01/09/2006                              |                                                             | A                                       |                                                                                                           | 95.8884                                                        |                                                      | 04/20/2015 <sup>(2)</sup> | 01/20/2020 <sup>(2)</sup> | Common<br>Stock, par<br>value<br>\$.10 | S |
| Deferred<br>Director's<br>Fees<br>(FTCI)            | <u>(1)</u>                                                            | 01/09/2006                              |                                                             | A                                       |                                                                                                           | 117.6229                                                       |                                                      | 04/20/2015 <sup>(2)</sup> | 01/20/2020 <sup>(2)</sup> | Common<br>Stock, par<br>value<br>\$.10 |   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                          | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                                         | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CROCKER CHARLES<br>C/O BEI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.<br>ONE POST STREET, SUITE 2500<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ CROCKER,  
CHARLES

01/10/2006

\_\_\_\_\_  
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) Not Applicable
- (2) Exercisable and expiration dates assume the director's separation from service from Franklin Resources, Inc. and its subsidiaries occurs in the January following the director's 75th birthday. See below footnotes.  
  
Represents a hypothetical investment account calculation of deferred Franklin Resources Inc.'s director's fees, under the 2006 Directors Deferred Compensation Plan, based upon the performance of Franklin Resources Inc.'s stock (including reinvested dividends) payable in cash in substantially equal quarterly installments over five years beginning the April 20 following the director's separation from service from Franklin Resources, Inc. and its subsidiaries and continuing on each July 20, October 20, January 20 and April 20 thereafter, except that if any such date is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, then the quarterly installment shall be paid on the next business day.
- (3) Represents a hypothetical investment account calculation of deferred Franklin Resources Inc.'s director's fees, under the 2006 Directors Deferred Compensation Plan, based upon the performance of Franklin Resources Inc.'s stock (including reinvested dividends) payable in cash in substantially equal quarterly installments over five years beginning the April 20 following the director's separation from service from Franklin Resources, Inc. and its subsidiaries and continuing on each July 20, October 20, January 20 and April 20 thereafter, except that if any such date is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, then the quarterly installment shall be paid on the next business day.
- (4) Represents a hypothetical investment account calculation of deferred Fiduciary Trust Company International's director's fees, under the 2006 Directors Deferred Compensation Plan, based upon the performance of Franklin Resources Inc.'s stock (including reinvested dividends) payable in cash in substantially equal quarterly installments over five years beginning the April 20 following the director's separation from service from Franklin Resources, Inc. and its subsidiaries and continuing on each July 20, October 20, January 20 and April 20 thereafter, except that if any such date is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, then the quarterly installment shall be paid on the next business day.

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April 20 thereafter, except that if any such date is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, then the quarterly installment shall be paid on the next business day.

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