

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SUTHERLAND JACK L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP [EFSC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 150 N. MERAMEC
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/26/2006

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 President

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | | | | | 9,101 | I | EBSP III, LLC |
| Common Stock | | | | | 14,751 | I | Jt/w Spouse |
| Restricted Share Units | 05/26/2006 | | A | | 4,582 | A | \$ 25.55 |
| | | | | | 9,297 | D | |

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. Transaction 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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 10.25 | | | | | 10/01/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 09/24/2012 | Common Stock | 12,000 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.75 | | | | | 10/01/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 07/01/2011 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 15 | | | | | 10/01/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 09/01/2010 | Common Stock | 20,000 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 13.4 | | | | | 10/01/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 05/13/2013 | Common Stock | 18,600 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SUTHERLAND JACK L 150 N. MERAMEC ST. LOUIS, MO 63105 | | | President | |

Signatures

Jack L.
Sutherland 05/31/2006

**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) Effective 10/01/2004 the Board fully vested the outstanding employee and Director stock options.

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