

BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES
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FORM 4

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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 *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES [BHB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
P O BOX 343, 4 OLD GARDEN WAY

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/15/2005

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Former Officer

BAR HARBOR, ME 04609

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Bar Harbor Bankshares	04/15/2005	04/15/2005	M	V Amount (A) or (D) Price \$ 15.4	22,201	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)

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	\$ 15.4	04/15/2005		M	2,050	06/20/2002 ⁽²⁾ 06/20/2011	common stock	2,050
common stock	\$ 15.4	04/15/2005		M	6,425	06/20/2003 ⁽³⁾ 06/20/2011	common stock	6,425
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
READ DEAN S P O BOX 343 4 OLD GARDEN WAY BAR HARBOR, ME 04609				Former Officer

Signatures

Dean S. Read 04/15/2005
 __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) Grant of Incentive Stock Options to acquire Bar Harbor Bankshares common stock under Bar Harbor Bankshares (and subsidiaries) Incentive Stock Options Plan of 2000.
- (2) This option became exercisable with respect to 2,050 shares on June 20, 2002.
- (3) The option became exercisable with respect to 6,425 shares on June 20, 2003.
- (4) The option became exercisable with respect to 6,425 shares on June 20, 2004.

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