CNF INC Form 4 March 15, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Stotlar Douglas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CNF INC [CNF]

(Middle) (Last) (First)

2855 CAMPUS DRIVE, SUITE 300

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

03/14/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

below) Director, President & CEO

Person

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

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

SAN MATEO, CA 94403

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Pı Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Deri Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu any

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

or Disposed of

(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A)

Code V

(D) Date Exercisable

(1)

Expiration Title
Date

or Number of Shares

Amount

(Inst

Phantom Stock

<u>(1)</u>

03/14/2006

A 10.048

(1)

Common Stock

10.048

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Stotlar Douglas

2855 CAMPUS DRIVE, SUITE 300 SAN MATEO, CA 94403

Director, President & CEO

Signatures

By: Gary S. Cullen, Attorney-in-Fact For: Douglas W. Stotlar

03/15/2006

**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).

Shares of phantom stock are acquired on a 1-for1 basis either upon an election to convert a stated amount of their existing balance or through the reinvestment of dividend-equivalents under terms of the Deferred Compensation Plan. Phantom stock becomes payable, in cash or common stock, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee, upon the reporting person's termination of employment.

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