HOREJSI STEWART R

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add ERNEST HO	•	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			FIRST FINANCIAL FUND INC [FF]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
3601 C STREET, STE 600 (Street) ANCHORAGE AK 99503			11/28/2005	below) below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting			

Person

ANCHORAGE, AK 99503

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	ble 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock	11/28/2005		S	5,000	D	\$ 21.63	1,475,800	D (1)				
Common Stock	11/28/2005		S	5,000	D	\$ 21.7	1,470,800	D (1)				
Common Stock	11/28/2005		S	4,000	D	\$ 21.6	1,466,800	D (1)				
Common Stock	11/28/2005		S	1,000	D	\$ 21.62	1,465,800	D (1)				
Common Stock	11/28/2005		S	2,500	D	\$ 21.59	1,463,300	D (1)				

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Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 21.58	1,460,700	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 21.5	1,458,700	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 21.45	1,457,700	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	8,500	D	\$ 21.51	1,449,200	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 21.53	1,447,200	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	200	D	\$ 21.54	1,447,000	D (1)
Common Stock	11/28/2005	S	300	D	\$ 21.52	1,446,700 (2)	D (1)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	tionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)) Derivativo	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities	;		(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
									of		
				Code V	V (A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ERNEST HOREJSI TRUST NO 1B 3601 C STREET, STE 600 ANCHORAGE, AK 99503		X					

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Signatures

Susan L. Ciciora

Stephen C. Miller, President, Badlands Trust Company, LLC, trustee of the Ernest Horejsi
Trust No. 1B

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Stewart R. Horejsi

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

11/30/2005

**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).

The trustees of the Ernest Horejsi Trust No. 1B (the "Ernest Trust") are Badlands Trust Company ("Badlands"), Susan L. Ciciora and Larry Dunlap. Such trustees may be deemed to control the Ernest Trust and may be deemed to possess indirect beneficial ownership of the Shares held by the Ernest Trust. However, none of the trustees, acting alone, can vote or exercise dispositive authority over Shares held by the Ernest Trust. Accordingly, Badlands, Ms. Ciciora and Mr. Dunlap disclaim beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially

- owned, directly or indirectly, by the Ernest Trust. In addition to serving as a trustee, Ms. Ciciora is also a beneficiary of the Ernest Trust. As a result of his advisory role with the Ernest Trust. Stewart R. Horejsi may be deemed to have indirect beneficial ownership of the Shares directly beneficially owned by the Ernest Trust. However, Mr. Horejsi disclaims such beneficial ownership of the Shares directly beneficially held by the Ernest Trust.
- (2) Trusts affiliated with the Ernest Trust, including the Lola Brown Trust No. 1B, the Mildred B. Horejsi Trust, the Susan L. Ciciora Trust, and the Stewart R. Horejsi Trust No. 2, own an aggregate of 8,775,100 Shares of the Fund following these transactions.

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