

CHUBB CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SOMERS DANIEL E

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
25 NORWOOD AVENUE  
(Street)  
SUMMIT, NJ 07901  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHUBB CORP [CB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/19/2005

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)  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (D) Price			
COMMON	05/19/2005		X	2,000 A \$ 53.02	3,024	D	
COMMON	05/19/2005		S	2,000 D \$ 82.58	1,024	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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
STOCK OPTION <u>(1)</u>	\$ 53.02	05/19/2005		C	2,000	04/29/2003 04/22/2024	COMMON
MARKET VALUE UNITS <u>(2)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	COMMON
PERFORMANCE SHARES 2004 <u>(4)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(4)</u> <u>(4)</u>	COMMON
PERFORMANCE SHARES 2005 <u>(5)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(5)</u> <u>(5)</u>	COMMON
STOCK UNITS <u>(6)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(6)</u> <u>(6)</u>	COMMON
STOCK UNITS 2005 <u>(6)</u>	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>					<u>(6)</u> <u>(6)</u>	COMMON

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SOMERS DANIEL E 25 NORWOOD AVENUE SUMMIT, NJ 07901		X		

## Signatures

By: Patricia S. Tomczyk, POA  
Date: 05/20/2005

\_\_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).
- (1) All Stock Options are granted in tandem with tax withholding rights.
- (2) Market Value Units in The Chubb Corporation Directors Deferred Compensation Plan. Units are payable in common stock only and the value of such units are based on the market value of the Coporation's common stock.
- (3) Variable Pricing

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- (4) Represents 200% of the target performance share award, which is the maximum number of shares issuable under this award for the performance cycle ending December 31, 2006.
- (5) Represents 200% of the target performance share award, which is the maximum number of shares issuable under this award for the performance cycle ending December 31, 2007.
- (6) Stock Units vest on the grant date and are payable in stock at the earlier of the third anniversary of the grant or termination of service as a director, unless subject to a deferral election.

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