

GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP INC  
 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**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 TURNER WILLIAM V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP INC [GSBC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/29/2005

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

925 ST ANDREWS CIRCLE

(Street)

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

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

SPRINGFIELD, MO 65809

(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)
Common stock	07/29/2005		G	V Amount (A) or (D) Price \$ 32.56	393,155	D	
Common stock					4,189	I	401(k) Plan
Common stock					75,153	I	Spouse's Trust&IRA
Common stock					1,310	I	Spouse's 401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.



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- (1) 3,750 shares vest on 9/24/2002, 9/24/2003, 9/24/2004 and 9/24/2005
- (2) 3,750 shares vest on 9/18/2003, 9/18/2004, 9/18/2005 and 9/18/2006
- (3) 4,000 shares vest on 9/25/2005, 9/25/2006, 9/25/2007 and 9/25/2008
- (4) 3,000 shares vest on 9/22/2006, 9/22/2007, 9/22/2008 and 9/22/2009

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