FULLER H B CO Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MCCREARY JAMES C Issuer Symbol FULLER H B CO [FUL] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1200 WILLOW LAKE 01/14/2005 below) below) BOULEVARD, P.O. BOX 64683 VP, Corporate Controller (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ST. PAUL 55164-0683 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 5,000 D Stock

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

By 401(k)

Plan

 $1,062.73 \frac{(1)}{}$

904.78

 $2,237 \frac{(8)}{}$

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	6. Date Exercisabl Date (Month/Day/Year)	-	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 18.625					08/08/1988(2)	12/07/2010	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 25.95					08/08/1988(3)	01/17/2012	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 27.9					08/08/1988(4)	12/09/2012	Common Stock
Phantom Units	\$ 0 (5)					08/08/1988(6)	08/08/1988 <u>(6)</u>	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 27.3					08/08/1988 <u>(7)</u>	12/03/2013	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 28.98					08/08/1988(9)	12/02/2014	Common Stock
Phantom Units	\$ 0 (11)	01/14/2005		A	1.95	08/08/1988(12)	08/08/1988(12)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Kelationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
MCCREARY JAMES C			VP, Corporate Controller		
1200 WILLOW LAKE BOULEVARD					

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**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) 401(k) Plan: This amount includes shares and dividends acquired during the fiscal year pursuant to the H.B. Fuller Company Thrift Plan.
- (2) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: This option vests in four equal installments beginning on December 7, 2001.
- (3) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: This option vests in four equal installments beginning on January 17, 2003.
- (4) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: This option vests in four equal installments beginning on December 9, 2003.
- (5) Deferred Compensation Plan: These units convert into shares of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- Deferred Compensation Plan: Units convert into shares of common stock upon the earlier of certain termination events as specified in the Key Employee Deferred Compensation Plan or such earlier date as selected by the participant.
- (7) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: This option vests in four equal installment beginning on December 3, 2004.
- (8) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: These restricted shares were awarded pursuant to H.B. Fuller Company's 2000 Stock Incentive Plan. The shares will vest effective December 2, 2007.
- (9) 2000 Stock Incentive Plan: This option vests in four equal installments beginning on December 2, 2005.
- (10) Key Employee Deferred Compensation Plan Dividend Reinvestment: This amount includes stock units acquired pursuant to a dividend equivalent feature of the Key Employees' Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (11) Deferred Compensation Plan: These units (acquired after 12-31-04) convert into shares of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- Deferred Compensation Plan: These units (acquired after 12-31-04) convert into shares of common stock upon the earlier of certain (12) termination events as specified in the Key Employee Deferred Compensation Plan or such earlier date as selected by the participant, subject to holding periods required by law.
- (13) Key Employee Deferred Compensation Plan Dividend Reinvestment: This amount (acquired after 12-31-04) includes stock units acquired pursuant to a dividend equivalent feature of the Key Employees' Deferred Compensation Plan.

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