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

FORM N-23C-1

STATEMENT BY REGISTERED CLOSED-END  
 INVESTMENT COMPANY WITH RESPECT TO PURCHASES OF ITS OWN  
 SECURITIES PURSUANT TO RULE N-23C-1 DURING THE LAST CALENDAR MONTH

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REPORT FOR CALENDAR MONTH ENDING May 2002  
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Franklin Capital Corporation

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 (Name of registered closed-end investment company)

Date of Each Transaction	Identification of Security	Number of Shares Purchased	Price Per Share	Approximate Asset Value or approximate Asset Coverage Per Share at Time of Purchase	Name of Seller
May 15, 2002	Franklin Capital Corporation Common Stock	4,800	3.50	\$0.94	Ladenburg
May 22, 2002	Franklin Capital Corporation Common Stock	1,000	3.62	\$0.94	Ladenburg
May 24, 2002	Franklin Capital Corporation Common Stock	1,000	3.50	\$0.94	Ladenburg

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REMARKS

Franklin Capital Corporation

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Name of Registrant

By /s/ Hiram M. Lazar

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(Name)

Date of Statement: June 7, 2002

Chief Financial Officer

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(Title)

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