

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC  
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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 \*  
**JONES WILLIAM S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC [PNFP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**2806 WINDSONG PLACE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**03/15/2006**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**EVP, Area Executive**

**MURFREESBORO, TN 37129**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					39,516	D	
Common Stock					2,629	I	IRA
Common Stock					1,017	I	Spouse IRA
Common Stock					18,590	I	ESOP
Common Stock					3,485	I	401K

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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 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.11	03/15/2006		A	7,500	03/15/2007 03/15/2016	Common Stock 7,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.18					(1) 01/02/2011	Common Stock 5,664
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.53					(1) 07/26/2011	Common Stock 5,664
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.26					(1) 09/17/2011	Common Stock 7,082
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.68					(1) 06/26/2012	Common Stock 3,401

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JONES WILLIAM S 2806 WINDSONG PLACE MURFREESBORO, TN 37129			EVP, Area Executive	

## Signatures

William S.  
Jones

03/16/2006

\_\_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) These options, which were fully vested with Cavalry Bancorp, Inc, were assumed by Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc. in the merger.

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