

SULLIVAN ROBERT A  
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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 \*  
**SULLIVAN ROBERT A**  
  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
**38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA**  
  
 (Street)  
**CINCINNATI, OH 45263**  
  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**FIFTH THIRD BANCORP [FITB]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/14/2006**

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)  
**Executive Vice President**

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

**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		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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)			
Common Stock	12/14/2006		G	V	1,750	D	Ⓣ	61,668	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006		G	V	250	D	Ⓣ	61,418	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006		G	V	125	D	Ⓣ	61,293	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006		G	V	125	D	Ⓣ	61,168	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006		G	V	200	D	Ⓣ	60,968	D

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Common Stock	12/14/2006	G	V	200	D	Ⓛ	60,768	D	
Common Stock							16,300	I	by Spouse
Common Stock							50,000	I	by Trust <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock							586.1598	I	by 401(K)

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SULLIVAN ROBERT A 38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA CINCINNATI, OH 45263			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

Paul L. Reynolds, as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert A. Sullivan  
12/19/2006

\_\_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) This transaction is a gift in which the transaction price is not required to be reported.
- (2) A trust of which the reporting person is grantor and trustee.

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