S Y BANCORP INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of HOECK GREGOR		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol S Y BANCORP INC [SYI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (Fi	irst) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
		(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
3009 BUNKER HILL DRIVE		12/14/2004	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(St	reet)	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			
LOUISVILLE, KY	Y 40205		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ole I - Non	-Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities coror Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount	of (D)		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							4,000	D	
Common Stock	03/29/2004		P	74.8392	A	\$ 20.56	738.363	I	By ESOP-fbo Greg Hoeck
Common Stock	03/29/2004		P	520.7727	A	\$ 20.56	2,498.2483	I	By 401k-fbo Greg

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivation Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ive of	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.9688						04/20/2000	04/20/2009	Common Stock	5,200
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.5						01/07/2001(1)	01/07/2010	Common Stock	5,200
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.315						12/21/2001(1)	12/21/2010	Common Stock	6,800
Common Stock	\$ 16.8						12/27/2002	12/27/2011	Common Stock	6,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.55						12/17/2003(1)	12/17/2012	Common Stock	5,000
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.18						12/16/2004(1)	12/16/2013	Common Stock	4,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.95	12/14/2004		M	6,000		12/14/2005(1)	06/14/2014	Common Stock	6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relati			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

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HOECK GREGORY A 3009 BUNKER HILL DRIVE LOUISVILLE, KY 40205 Executive Vice President

Signatures

//Gregory A. 12/14/2004 Hoeck

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 vest 20% per year
- (2) Option Grant

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