#### CHANDLER THEODORE L

Form 4

December 16, 2004

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**SECURITIES** 

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

CHANDLER THEODORE L

(First) (Middle)

3650 LANSDOWNE ROAD

(Street)

MIDLOTHIAN, VA 23113

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

LANDAMERICA FINANCIAL **GROUP INC [LFG]** 

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

12/15/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

President & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

or Exercise

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

any

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration

(Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	Dis	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sha
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/15/2004		J <u>(1)</u>	6.	.9355		08/08/1988(1)	08/08/1988(1)	Common Stock	6.
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	12/15/2004		J	21	.9491		08/08/1988(1)	08/08/1988(1)	Common Stock	21

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b>FB</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CHANDLER THEODORE L 3650 LANSDOWNE ROAD MIDLOTHIAN, VA 23113	X		President & COO					

## **Signatures**

By: Wm. Chadwick Perrine For: Theodore L.
Chandler, Jr.

\*\*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) The deferred stock units were acquired under a company deferral plan as a result of a dividend paid by the issuer on December 15, 2004. There is no conversion or exercise price of derivative security (Box 2), or no exercisable or expiration date (Box 6) for this transaction.

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