**ROLETT DAN M** Form 4/A May 16, 2005

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 Reporting Person * ROLETT DAN M			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BANK OF THE OZARKS INC [OZRK]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				_ Director	10% O			
12615 CHENAL PARKWAY, P.O. BOX 8811			(Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2005				_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President				
	(Street)	treet) 4. If Amendment			Original	6. In	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2005			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
LITTLE ROCK 72231-8811						F Perso	Form filed by More on	than One Repo	orting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-Dei	rivative Securities Acq	uired	, Disposed of, or	Beneficially	Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transacti	on Date 2A.	Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	d (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature		
Security	(Month/Day		cution Date, if		oror Disposed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	of Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any (Mo	nth/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership		
		(IVIO	iidi/Day/Tear)	(msu. o)			Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		
							Reported	(I)			

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Natur of Indir Benefic Owners (Instr. 4
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Employee Stock Option(Right to Buy)	05/13/2005		M	4,800	A	\$ 5.143	4,800	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	05/13/2005		S	4,800	D	\$ 32.6709	0	D	

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 on f 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
Common Stock	\$ 5.143	05/13/2005		M	4,800	09/17/2004	09/17/2008	Common Stock	4,800

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROLETT DAN M 12615 CHENAL PARKWAY P.O. BOX 8811 LITTLE ROCK 72231-8811

**Executive Vice President** 

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Dan M. Rolett 05/16/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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