#### CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

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(Print or Type Responses)

SCHNALL PETER A

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

				CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP [COF]				(Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)  1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2006					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President				
Filed(					endment, Da nth/Day/Year	_			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
MCLEAN, VA 22102									Person				
(City) (State) (Zip) <b>Table I - Non-Do</b>						Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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 (1)	02/10/2006			M	756	A	\$ 54.56	62,548	D			
	Common Stock (1)	02/10/2006			M	277	A	\$ 55.59	62,825	D			
	Common Stock (1)	02/10/2006			S	19,650	D	\$ 85	43,175	D			
	Common Stock (2)	02/10/2006			M	16,271	A	\$ 34.13	59,446	D			
	Common Stock (1)	02/13/2006			M	18,617	A	\$ 68.33	78,063	D			

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Common Stock  $\frac{(2)}{2}$  02/13/2006 S 16,271 D \$84.3 61,792  $\frac{(3)}{2}$  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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative 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)	\$ 54.56	02/10/2006		M		756	10/22/1999	10/16/2006	Common Stock	756
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 55.59	02/10/2006		M		277	02/03/2001	10/16/2006	Common Stock	277
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 68.33	02/13/2006		M		18,617	01/28/2005	10/18/2006	Common Stock	18,617
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.13	02/13/2006		M		16,271	<u>(4)</u>	12/06/2012	Common Stock	16,271

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHNALL PETER A Executive
1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE Vice
MCLEAN, VA 22102 President

### **Signatures**

By: Frederick L. Williams (POA on file) for 02/14/2006

\*\*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 was executed pursuant to a trading plan entered into by the Reporting Person on April 27, 2005 in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (2) This transaction was executed pursuant to a trading plan entered into by the Reporting Person on November 11, 2005 in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (3) Includes 66 shares acquired by the reporting person under the Company's Associate Stock Purchase Plan since the last reported transaction.
- (4) This option became exercisable in 33 1/3% increments beginning on December 6, 2003 and annually from that date thereafter.

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