#### FIRST BANCSHARES INC /MS/

Form 4

December 05, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address THOMS DAVID		Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST BANCSHARES INC /MS/ [FBMS]  5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) Issuer  (Check all applicable)				n(s) to			
(Last) (F	,	Middle)	3. Date of Earlies (Month/Day/Yea 11/21/2006		on		X_ below	_ Director _ Officer (give title v) EVP and Chief	below)	specify
LAUREL, MS 39	Street) 0440		4. If Amendment Filed(Month/Day/	,	ginal		Appl	dividual or Joint/ icable Line) Form filed by One l Form filed by More on	Reporting Perso	on
(City) (S	State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	on-Derivat	ive Securi	ties A	cquired	, Disposed of, or	Beneficially	Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transacti (Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or Da (D)	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of	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)
THE FIRST BANCSHARES, INC	12/05/200	06		X	167	A	\$ 12.5	6,367	D	
COMMON STOCK	11/21/200	06		P	500	A	\$ 22.5	6,867	D	

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
COMMON STOCK OPTIONS	\$ 12.5	12/05/2006		X	167	07/21/2006	04/15/2009	1999 STOCK OPTION PLAN	167

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

THOMS DAVID O JR 45 OAK CREST DRIVE LAUREL, MS 39440

**EVP** and Chief Operations Offic

### **Signatures**

DAVID O THOMS JR 12/05/2006

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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