

FOLEY WILLIAM P II
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FOLEY WILLIAM P II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIDELITY NATIONAL FINANCIAL INC /DE/ [FNF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
601 RIVERSIDE AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/19/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
CEO

JACKSONVILLE, FL 32240
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$ 38.83	08/19/2005			A		400,000		(2)	08/19/2013	Common Stock	400,000
Stock Option (right to purchase)	(3)								(4)	(5)	Common Stock	5,321,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FOLEY WILLIAM P II 601 RIVERSIDE AVENUE JACKSONVILLE, FL 32240	X		CEO	

Signatures

William P.
Foley II

08/19/2005

**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) Stock options granted pursuant to the FNF 2004 Omnibus Incentive Plan exempt under Rule 16(b)3.
- (2) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on August 19, 2006.
- (3) Represents various options granted at various prices.
- (4) Exercise dates vary for each of the various grants.
- (5) Expiration dates vary for each of the various grants.
- (6) As a result of a special cash dividend paid to shareholders on March 29, 2005, the Reporting Person's outstanding options were adjusted to account for the special dividend, resulting in an increase in the Reporting Person's aggregate outstanding option holdings.
- (7) Reflects Reporting Person's total Derivative Securities ownership in Fidelity National Financial, Inc. as of August 19, 2005.

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