COHEN IRVING P

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **COHEN IRVING P** Issuer Symbol OptimumBank Holdings, Inc. (Check all applicable) [(OPHC)] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) C/O OPTIMUMBANK, 2477 E. 08/01/2005 COMMERCIAL BOULEVARD

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/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

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33308

(City)	(State) (Zip) 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. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/01/2005	08/01/2005	G	V	187	D	<u>(1)</u>	28,700	I	By IPC Rev Trust
Common Stock	09/13/2005	09/13/2005	G	V	333	D	(1)	28,367	I	By IPC Rev Trust
Common Stock								5,000	I	By Wife
Common Stock								13,700	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)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative]
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	,		Securities	(Instr. 5)]	
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	Security				Acquired]
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					of (D)						(
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COHEN IRVING P
C/O OPTIMUMBANK
2477 E. COMMERCIAL BOULEVARD
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33308

Signatures

/s/ Albert J. Finch, Attorney-in-Fact for Irving P.
Cohen 12/21/2005

**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) Shares gifted to charitable organizations

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