FRANCKA JOHN K Form 3 April 10, 2007 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB approval

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> FRANCKA JOHN K			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST BANCSHARES INC /MO/ [FBSI]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/22/2007		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
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	(Street)				(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	on-Derivati	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•		
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Т	able II - Der	rivative Secur	ities Beneficia	lly Owned (e.	g., puts, calls,	warrants, opt	tions, c	onvertible securities)		

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options (1)	03/30/2008	03/30/2017	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 17	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FRANCKA JOHN K 142 EAST FIRST STREET MOUNTAIN GROVE, MO 65711	Â	Â	Senior VP-Chief Credit Officer	Â				
Signatures								
/s/John K. 04/10/2007 Francka	7							

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

Date

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(1) Options granted pursuant to the 2004 Stock Option Plan and vest at 20% per year beginning on March 30, 2008.

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