

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MERCORD F CHARLES</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) (Street) <u>KALISPELL MT 59901</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GLACIER BANCORP INC [GBCI]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/23/2003</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/23/2003		J		1,000	D	\$0	23,340	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/23/2003		J		1,000	A	\$0	151,780	I	See footnote
Common Stock ⁽²⁾	10/29/2003		G		1,490	D	\$0	150,290	I	See footnote

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Option	\$19.164	06/30/1999		A		2,420		12/31/1999	06/30/2004	Common Stock	2,420	\$0	2,420	D	
Option	\$22.136	01/29/2003		A		1,650		07/29/2003	01/29/2008	Common Stock	1,650	\$0	4,010	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Includes 125,653 shares held in IRA accounts for Mr. Mercord's benefit; 17,992 shares owned by Mr. Mercord's wife; 6,485 shares in an IRA account for the benefit of Mr. Mercord's wife and 1,650 shares held in a family partnership.
- Includes 125,653 shares held in IRA accounts for Mr. Mercord's benefit; 17,992 shares owned by Mr. Mercord's wife; 6,485 shares in an IRA account for the benefit of Mr. Mercord's wife and 160 shares held in a family partnership.

/s/ James H. Strosahl signing
on behalf of F. Charles 10/30/2003
Mercord

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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