FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	ess of Reporting Pers		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BANK OF HAWAII CORP [BOH]		ationship of Reporting Pers (all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer	
(Last) P.O. BOX 2900	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/05/2003	x	Officer (give title below) Vice Chair and Chief /	Other (specify below)	
(Street) HONOLULU	HI	96846	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than	rting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person	. 0	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6.										7. Nature
	Date (Month/Day/Year)	ZA. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					Securities Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/05/2003		М		45,000	A	\$18.8	53,520(1)	D	
Common Stock	11/05/2003		S		45,000	D	\$39.75	8,520(1)	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts. calls. warrants. options, convertible securities)

(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. Transact Code (In 8)		n of		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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option(Right to buy)	\$18.8	11/05/2003		М			45,000	(2)	03/21/2011	Common Stock	45,000	\$0.00	236,300	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Between April 1 and September 30, shares were acquired with reinvested dividends pursuant to the Bank of Hawaii Corporation Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan.

2. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on March 22, 2002.

WILLIAM NELSON

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/07/2003

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).

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