

FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SWIFT ROBERT J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC [FMBH.OB]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2004

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP for Trust

6807 N COUNTRY CLUB ROAD
 (Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting
 (check applicable line)

MATTOON, IL 61938

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Amount Price			
Common Stock	01/30/2004	Â	J ⁽⁶⁾	5.521 A \$ 46.55	647.247	I	By 401K
Common Stock	03/09/2004	Â	P	104.531 A \$ 47.07	751.778	I	By 401K
Common Stock	05/20/2004	Â	P	18.164 A \$ 48.37	769.942	I	By 401K
Common Stock	06/25/2004	Â	J ⁽⁶⁾	5.054 A \$ 48.75	774.996	I	By 401K

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Common Stock	08/23/2004	Â	P	28.824	A	\$ 32.99	1,191.318 (7)	I	By 401K
Common Stock	11/19/2004	Â	P	19.945	A	\$ 36.96	1,211.263	I	By 401K
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	1,284.023	I	By Deferred Comp

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 (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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 12.56	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/01/2005 ⁽¹⁾	12/18/2010	Common Stock	843.75
Stock Options	\$ 16	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/01/2005 ⁽²⁾	12/18/2011	Common Stock	1,687.5
Stock Options	\$ 18.17	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/01/2005 ⁽³⁾	12/16/2012	Common Stock	2,531.2
Stock Options	\$ 31	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/01/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	12/16/2013	Common Stock	3,375
Stock Options	\$ 41	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/01/2006 ⁽⁵⁾	12/14/2014	Common Stock	3,375

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SWIFT ROBERT J 6807 N COUNTRY CLUB ROAD MATTOON, IL 61938	Â	Â	Â	EVP for Trust

Signatures

Michael L. Taylor, pursuant to a Power of Attorney filed on
11/1/2002.

01/12/2005

__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) Options become exercisable on 1/1/2005.
- (2) Options become exercisable in 2 equal annual installments beginning on 1/1/2005.
- (3) Options become exercisable in 3 equal annual installments beginning on 1/1/2005.
- (4) Options become exercisable in 4 equal annual installments beginning on 1/1/2005.
- (5) Options become exercisable in 4 equal annual installments beginning on 1/1/2006.
- (6) Shares acquired through the Company's dividend reinvestment plan with dividends paid on shares of common stock held.
- (7) Shares balance has been adjusted to reflect a 3 for 2 stock split that occurred on July 16, 2004.

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