

FULTON RUFUS A JR  
Form 4  
March 31, 2003

**FORM 4**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>Fulton, Jr. Rufus A.</b> (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION (FULT)</b>				6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director — 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) — Other (specify below) <b>Chairman and Chief Executive Officer</b>			
Fulton Financial Corporation One Penn Square  (Street)  Lancaster, PA 17602  (City) (State) (Zip)			3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)		4. Statement for Month/Day/Year <b>March 31, 2003</b>		7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
			<b>Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans-action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	3. Trans-action Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow-ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
\$2.50 par value common stock	03/31/03		J <sup>(1)</sup>	V	1	A	18.89	34,065	D	Retirement Plan
\$2.50 par value common stock								170,105	D	
\$2.50 par value common stock								5,690	I	Spouse

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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**FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conver-sion or	3. Trans-	3A. Deemed	4. Trans-	5. Num-	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Number of Derivative	10. Owner-	11. Nature of Indirect
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Security (Instr. 3)	Exercise Price of Derivative Security	action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	action Code (Instr. 8)	of		Date (Month/Day/ Year)	Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Derivative Security (A) or Disposed of (D)  (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)	Code		V	(A)				

Explanation of Responses:

(1) These Shares were acquired pursuant to the purchase of additional shares of stock held in the Fulton Financial Corporation Employees Retirement Plan.

By: /s/ **George R. Barr, Jr.** **March 31, 2003**  
**Attorney-in-fact for Rufus A. Fulton, Jr.** Date  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

\*\*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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