FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Berman Bernard D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Fifth Street Finance Corp [FSC]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 445 HAMILTON AVENUE SUITE 1206					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/17/2008									below) below) Executive Vice President & Sec				
(Street) WHITE PLAINS	N	Y 1	10601		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							ine) X F F	,				
(City)	(St	rate) (Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efici	ally Ow	ned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,		ecution Date, ny		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,		(A) or 3, 4 a	nd See Bei Ow	Amount of curities neficially ned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tra	oorted nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 06/17/				/2008		P		7,100 A		A	\$14	4.12 7,468		D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)			3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Bernard D. Berman

06/19/2008

** 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).
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