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Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting AVERA STEPHEN R	Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
		FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (I	Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended	11		
		(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
		12/31/2005	X_ Officer (give title Other (specif		
1919 FLOWERS CIRCLE			below) below) SVP, Gen Counsel & Secretary		
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting		
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
			(check applicable line)		

THOMASVILLE, GAÂ 31757

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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	uritie	s Acqui	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) o)	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)
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	17,391 <u>(1)</u>	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	362.026 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	I	By 401(k)

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

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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 Derivativ Securitie Acquirec (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 6.31	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/06/2005	04/06/2011	Common Stock	50,905
Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 14.01	Â	Â	Â	Â	07/16/2007	07/16/2013	Common Stock	108,225

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
AVERA STEPHEN R			SVP, Gen				
1919 FLOWERS CIRCLE	Â	Â	Counsel &	Â			
THOMASVILLE, GA 31757			Secretary				

Signatures

Stephen R.
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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Total includes shares acquired as a result of a three-for-two stock split, effected 07/01/2005.
- (2) Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person in Issuer's 401(k) Plan, as of the 2005 fiscal year end, 12/31/2005.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.

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