

COOPERATIVE BANKSHARES INC

Form 4

June 13, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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*See Instruction*  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**WILLETTTS FREDERICK III**

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**COOPERATIVE BANKSHARES  
INC [COOP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

201 MARKET STREET

(Street)

WILMINGTON, NC 28401

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
06/09/2005

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

☐ Director ☒ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
Pres., CEO & Chairman of Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/09/2005		S	125 D	\$ 18.5 145,931	D	
Common Stock	06/09/2005		S	200 D	\$ 18.7 145,731	D	
Common Stock					33,705	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock					2,259	I	By Spouse
Common Stock					105,465	I	By Trust (Father)

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Common Stock	25,550	I	By Trust (medical)
Common Stock	1,986	I	by trust for 1st daughter
Common Stock	1,986	I	By trust for 2nd daughter
Common Stock	1,986	I	By Trust for 3rd daughter
Common Stock	666	I	by wife in trust for 3 daughters
Common Stock	31,077	I	by Willetts Building Trust

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)		8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.29					08/28/1999 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/28/2009	Common Stock		13,500
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 7.67					12/21/2001 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/21/2011	Common Stock		12,000

Buy)

Stock

Option  
(Right to

\$ 18

Buy)

12/29/2004<sup>(1)</sup> 12/29/2014Common  
Stock

10,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILLETTTS FREDERICK III 201 MARKET STREET WILMINGTON, NC 28401	X	X	Pres., CEO & Chairman of Board	

## Signatures

/s/ Willetts, III,  
Frederick

06/13/2005

\*\*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) Stock Options fully vested on date of grant.

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