#### FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form 5

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#### **OMB APPROVAL** FORM 5 **OMB**

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Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LANG CRAIG A	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	FBL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [FFG]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Chairman of the Board		
5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE		Chairman of the Board		
(Street)	1 If Amandment Data Original	6 Individual or Joint/Group Penarting		

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(check applicable line)

### WEST DES MOINES, IAÂ 50266

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-De	rivative Secu	urities	Acquire	d, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securitie or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (E	<b>)</b> )	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(D)	Price	4)		
Class A Common Stock	01/15/2008	Â	L	108.942	A	\$ 32.96	1,546.202	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	01/18/2008	Â	L	19.673	A	\$ 31.09	1,565.875	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	02/19/2008	Â	L	19.442	A	\$ 31.46	1,585.317	I	by Trust

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Class A Common Stock	03/19/2008	Â	L	22.355	A	\$ 27.36	1,607.672	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	04/18/2008	Â	L	21.047	A	\$ 29.06	1,645.457	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	05/15/2008	Â	L	24.514	A	\$ 24.95	1,669.971	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	06/18/2008	Â	L	26.038	A	\$ 23.49	1,696.009	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	07/18/2008	Â	L	27.66	A	\$ 20.45	1,743.899	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	08/18/2008	Â	L	3.366	A	\$ 21.38	1,747.265	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	09/18/2008	Â	L	2.878	A	\$ 25	1,750.143	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	10/17/2008	Â	L	4.575	A	\$ 15.73	1,772.358	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/18/2008	Â	L	6.675	A	\$ 10.78	1,779.033	I	by Trust
Class A Common Stock	12/19/2008	Â	L	5.234	A	\$ 13.75	1,784.267	I	by Trust

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

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$ 

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9.
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	of
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	D
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				Amount
(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	of
(A) (D)				Shares

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LANG CRAIG A
5400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE Â X Â Â Chairman of the Board Â
WEST DES MOINES, IAÂ 50266

# **Signatures**

By: Robert Simons, per filed confirming stmt For: Craig Allen
Lang
01/15/2009

\*\*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) This stock was purchased by the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation 401(k) plan. The reporting person is a participant in this plan. Beneficial ownership totals include reinvested dividends.

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