

BANKATLANTIC BANCORP INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**LEVAN ALAN B**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**BANKATLANTIC BANCORP INC [BBX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/03/2005**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman of the Board and CEO**

**2100 W. CYPRESS CREEK RD.**  
 (Street)

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

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

**FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33309**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Class A Common Stock	10/03/2005		S	7,500 D \$ 16.89	664,749	D	
Class A Common Stock					8,329,236	I	BFC Financial Corporation (1)
Class A Common Stock					1,109	I	Levan Enterprises
					741	I	

Class A  
Common  
Stock

Levan  
Partners

Class A  
Common  
Stock

11,899 <sup>(2)</sup> I

401(k) Plan

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEVAN ALAN B 2100 W. CYPRESS CREEK RD. FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33309	X	X	Chairman of the Board and CEO	

## Signatures

Alan B. Levan                      10/05/2005  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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).

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- (1) Shares held by BFC Financial Corporation, a public company which Mr. Levan may be deemed to control.
- (2) Represents number of units held by the reporting person in the Company's 401(k) plan. The 401(k) plan administrator has reported that these units represent 10,400 shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock held in the 401(k) plan on October 3, 2005.

**Remarks:**

Remarks: Sale is made pursuant to a plan adopted under Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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