KING CAROLYN

Form 4 March 08, 2007

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* KING CAROLYN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PROTECTIVE LIFE CORP [PL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

03/05/2007

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

SR. VP

(Street)

(State)

2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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		Tai	rable 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, of Deficiency Owned						
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Ownership	Indirect Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	Form:	Ownership	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Direct (D)	(Instr. 4)	
							Following	or Indirect	
					(A)		Reported	(I)	
					or		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common			Couc v	Timount	(D)	1 1100			
	03/05/2007		A	2,000	A	\$0	2,000	D	
Stock									
Common									
							3,279.9874	I	By 401(k) (1)
Stock									
									Deferred
Common							20,920.0004	т	
Stools							20,920.0004	1	Compensation

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number Doof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat	o. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
SAR 11 (3)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2008	03/05/2017	SAR	825	\$ 0
SAR 11a (3)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2009	03/05/2017	SAR	825	\$ 0
SAR 11b (3)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2010	03/05/2017	SAR	825	\$ 0
SAR 11c (3)	\$ 43.46	03/05/2007		A	825	03/05/2011	03/05/2017	SAR	825	\$ 0
SAR 4	\$ 32					03/04/2007	03/04/2012	SAR	15,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KING CAROLYN 2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223			SR. VP				

## **Signatures**

By: by Harriette Hyche Attorney-in-Fact for 03/08/2007

\*\*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) Total Shares held by reporting person in PLC's 401(k) & Stock Ownership Plan as of 3/1/07.

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- (2) Shares acquired through the PLC Def. Comp. Plan for Directors who are not Officers of the Corporation (exempt under Rule 16b-3).
- (3) Stock Appreciation Right awarded under the Protective Life Corporation Long-Term Incentive Plan in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3 becoming exercisable in equal installments over four years beginning 3/5/08.
- (4) Previously reported Stock Appreciation Right (SAR).

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