BRUNNER LILIAN

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRUNNER LILIAN	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	PROVIDENT FINANCIAL HOLDINGS INC [PROV]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
3756 CENTRAL AVENUE	12/13/2004	SVP & CIO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original				
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
RIVERSIDE, CA 92506		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zin)					

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	, .		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
_			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01	12/13/2004		S	4,912	D	\$ 28.98	6,588	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01	12/14/2004		S	544	D	\$ 29	6,044	D	

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	4, and 5)		•	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRUNNER LILIAN 3756 CENTRAL AVENUE RIVERSIDE, CA 92506

SVP & CIO

Signatures

/s/ Lilian

Brunner 12/14/2004

**Signature of Person

**Brunner 12/14/2004

Date Date

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