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Form 4

April 09, 2003

- 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Porter, Barry S.
385 Oliver Road
Cincinnati, OH 45215
- 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
First Financial Bancorp (FFBC)
- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
282-32-9070
- 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year
04/08/2003
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(X) Director () 10% Owner
() Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(X) 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	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount or Price A/D Price	Reportable Date
Common Stock						16109
Common Stock						0
FFBC (Directors Fee Stock Plan)	04/08/2003		P	193	A \$16.4725	2440

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities Amount or Number of Shares
1997 (NQ) Stock Option	\$13.148					04/22/2007	Common Stock

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2000 (NQ) \$16.9048
Stock
Option

04/25/2010 Common
Stock

Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ Terri J. Ziepfel

DATE
04/09/2003