

PILGRIM LONNIE A  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
PILGRIM LONNIE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PILGRIMS PRIDE CORP [PPC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
110 SOUTH TEXAS STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/29/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

PITTSBURG, TX 75686

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

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(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			
Common Stock	02/29/2012		X		2,708,369 (1) (2)	A	\$ 4.5	15,779,647	I (3)	By Pilgrim Interests, Ltd.
Common Stock	02/29/2012		X		595,117 (1) (2)	A	\$ 4.5	3,467,303	D	
Common Stock	02/29/2012		X		18,769 (2)	A	\$ 4.5	109,349	I (3)	By Pilgrim Family Trust I
Common Stock	02/29/2012		X		18,768 (2)	A	\$ 4.5	109,347	I (3)	By Pilgrim Family Trust II

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Common Stock	02/29/2012	X	14,093 <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u>	A	\$ 4.5	82,106	I <sup>(3)</sup>	By PFCP, Ltd.
Common Stock	02/29/2012	X	550 <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	A	\$ 4.5	3,200	I <sup>(3)</sup>	By UGMA
Common Stock	02/29/2012	X	31 <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	A	\$ 4.5	176.0085 <sup>(4)</sup>	I <sup>(3)</sup>	By employee benefit trust

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Subscriptions Rights (right to buy)	\$ 4.5	02/29/2012		X	13,071,278	01/17/2012	02/29/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
Subscriptions Rights (right to buy)	\$ 4.5	02/29/2012		X	2,872,186	01/17/2012	02/29/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
Subscriptions Rights (right to buy)	\$ 4.5	02/29/2012		X	90,580	01/17/2012	02/29/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
Subscriptions Rights (right to buy)	\$ 4.5	02/29/2012		X	90,579	01/17/2012	02/29/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
	\$ 4.5	02/29/2012		X	68,013	01/17/2012	02/29/2012	



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common stock owned by the reporting through the employee benefit plan as of the date of this filing is reported herein.

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