MASSENGALE JIMMY E

Form 4

March 05, 2003

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

1. N	ame	and	Address	of Re	porting	Person*
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(Last)	Massengale
(First)	Jimmy
(Middle)	E.
(Street)	2801 Highway 280 South
(City)	Birmingham
(State)	Alabama
(Zip)	35223

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

(Issuer Name)	Protective Life Corporation
(Ticker or Trading Symbol)	PL

3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Day/Year

(Month/Day)	March 3
(Year)	2003

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day)	
(Year)	

6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

X

X	(Director)
X	(Officer, give title below)
	Executive Vice President, Acquisitions
	(10% Owner)
	(Other, specify below)

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

X	
X	Form filed by One Reporting Person
	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of	1	erivative Secus 2A. Deemed	3. Transac	_	on 4. Securities		· · ·	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/ Year)	Execution Date,	Code (Instr. 8)		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock								91,770.2909	I	Def.Comp 1
1. Shares held under PLC's Def.								490.6143	I	401(k) 2
Comp. Plan for officers of								7,660	D	
the corporation exempt										
under Rule 16-b(3).										
2. Total shares owned by										
reporting person in PLC's										
401(k) and Stock Ownership										
Plan as of 02/28/03										

	T		ive Securities Acq ts, calls, warrants,					Owned		
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		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)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
SAR 1	26.49	03/03/03		A		15,000		03/03/08	03/03/13	
SAR 2								03/06/05	03/06/10	
SAR 3								03/04/07	03/04/12	

Table II Co	ontinued - Deri	vative Securit	ies Acquired, Dispo	sed of or Beneficiall	y Owned						
	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Derivative Securities F		10. Ownership Form of Derivative Securities:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)						
Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(Instr. 5)	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)							
SARs	15,000	-	15,000	D							
SARs	10,000	-	10,000	D							
SARs	30,000		30,000	D							

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Grant to reporting person of Stock Appreciation Right (SAR) in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- $(2) \ Previously \ reported \ Stock \ Appreciation \ Right \ (SAR) \ in \ transaction \ exempt \ under \ Rule \ 16b-3. \ Base \ price \ \$22.31.$
- (3) Previously reported Stock Appreciation Right (SAR) in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. Base price \$32.00.

/s/ JIMMY E. MASSENGALE

MARCH 5, 2003

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

BY: Nancy Kane Attorney-in-Fact

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

- * 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.).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.