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

**FORM 3**

**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or  
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940**

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <i>(Last, First, Middle)</i>  SZENDREY RAMOS, CARMEN G <hr/> CALLE ORQUIDEA 1909 SANTA MARIA <hr/> <i>(Street)</i>  SAN JUAN, PR 00927 <hr/> <i>(City) (State) (Zip)</i>	<b>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</b> <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i>  March 20, 2003 <hr/> <b>4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b>  FIRST BANCORP (FBP) <hr/> <b>6. If Amendment, Date of Original</b> <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i> <hr/>	<b>3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity</b> <i>(voluntary)</i>  <hr/> <b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> <i>(Check All Applicable)</i> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input type="radio"/> Director  <input type="radio"/> 10% Owner                         </div> <div> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Officer <i>(give title below)</i>  <input type="radio"/> Other <i>(specify below)</i> </div> </div> SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT <hr/> <b>7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing</b> <i>(Check Applicable Line)</i>  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="radio"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person                         </div> </div>
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If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

Table I Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security <i>(Instr. 4)</i>	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned <i>(Instr. 4)</i>	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) <i>(Instr. 5)</i>	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership <i>(Instr. 5)</i>

Table II Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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### Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Carmen Gabriella  
Szendrey Ramos

March 20, 2003

**\*\*Signature of Reporting  
Person**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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