HANSER FREDERICK O

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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Ownership

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HANSER FREDERICK O

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2010

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

250 STADIUM PLAZA

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

below)

ST LOUIS, MO 63102

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Middle)

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned (Instr. 4)

Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common

6,225 D

Stock

Security

(Instr. 3)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 II S
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	04/23/2010		A	2,250	<u>(1)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	2,250	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 0					<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	2,250	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 10.575					(3)	10/22/2013	Common Stock	10,001	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 13.89					<u>(4)</u>	02/03/2014	Common Stock	2,000	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 20.22					<u>(5)</u>	01/03/2015	Common Stock	1,500	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 38.25					<u>(6)</u>	01/03/2016	Common Stock	1,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HANSER FREDERICK O 250 STADIUM PLAZA	X						
ST LOUIS, MO 63102							

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Date

Signatures

By: David M. Minnick For: Frederick O. Hanser 04/27/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Units vest quarterly over a one year period.
- (2) No expiration date for these Units.
- (3) Options vest in 20% increments on 10/22/04, 10/22/05, 10/22/06, 10/22/07 and 10/22/08.
- (4) Options vest in 20% increments yearly from the grant date.
- (5) Options vest in 20 percent increments on 1/3/06, 1/3/07, 1/3/08, 1/3/09 and 1/3/10.
- (6) Options vest in 20% increments on 1/3/07, 1/3/08, 1/3/09, 1/3/10 and 1/3/11.

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