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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Manos John G			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement(Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BankFinancial CORP [BFIN]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	12/04/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
15W060 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD				(Check all applicable)						
	(Street)			Director10% Owner 6. Individual or Joint/Gro 						
BURR RIDGE, IL 60527				Regional President - Affili		iate	Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•			
Common St	ock		17,349.92	48	D	Â				
Common St	ock (1)		10,000		D	Â				
Common St	ock		17,349.92	48	Ι	By P	Partnership			
Common St	ock		3,776.827	1	Ι	By s	pouse as custodian			
Common St	ock		14,097.32	35	Ι	By 4	01(k) (2)			
Common St	ock		628.6962		Ι	By E Plan	Employee Stock Ownership			

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/Year)			derlying	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security I	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options (Rights to Buy)	(3)	09/05/2011	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 17.65	D	Â

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

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Manos John G 15W060 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD BURR RIDGE, IL 60527	Â	Â	Regional President - Affiliate	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ F. Morgan Gasior, pursuant to power attorney	of 12/04/2006					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person]	Date			

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Stock Awards granted pursuant to the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan of BankFinancial Corporation vest ratably over five equal annual installments commencing December 15, 2006
- (2) The information in this report is based on the 401k report dated December 3, 2006.
- (3) Stock Option Awards granted pursuant to the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan of BankFinancial Corporation vest ratably over five equal annual installments commencing December 15, 2006

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