

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**QUEENER HUGH M**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC [PNFP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**211 COMMERCE ST., SUITE 300**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/20/2009**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**CAO**

**NASHVILLE, X1 37201**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V Amount (A) or (D) Price   |   |  |                                   |
| PNFP Common Stock               | 11/03/2009                           |  | G                              | 725 <sup>(4)</sup> D \$ 0   | 24,640  | D  |                                   |
| PNFP Common Stock               | 01/20/2009                           |  | D                              | 1,239 <sup>(1)</sup> D \$ 0                                       | 23,401  | D  |                                   |
| PNFP Common Stock               | 01/20/2009                           |  | A                              | 9,646 <sup>(2)</sup> A \$ 20.09                                   | 33,047  | D  |                                   |
| PNFP Common                     | 01/20/2009                           |  | A                              | 3,215 <sup>(3)</sup> A \$ 20.09                                   | 36,262  | D  |                                   |

|                         |  |        |   |                      |
|-------------------------|--|--------|---|----------------------|
| Stock                   |  |        |   |                      |
| PNFP<br>Common<br>Stock |  | 42,750 | I | Joint With<br>Spouse |
| PNFP<br>Common<br>Stock |  | 53,420 | I | Rollover<br>IRA      |
| PNFP<br>Common<br>Stock |  | 1,226  | I | IRA                  |
| PNFP<br>Common<br>Stock |  | 500    | I | IRA -<br>Spouse      |
| PNFP<br>Common<br>Stock |  | 3,850  | I | 401(k)<br>Plan       |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repor<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
|   |  |   |   |                                      |  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                      |
|   |  |   |   |                                      |  | Code   | V   | (A)   | (D)   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
|                                |               |           |         | CAO   |

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## Signatures

/s/ Hugh M.  
Queener

01/22/2009

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Forfeitures of restricted stock for which the performance thresholds were not met in accordance with the 2006 grant agreement  
The forfeiture restrictions for the restricted shares lapse over the shorter period of ten years or the period between the issue date and the
- (2) date on which the recipient turns age 65. Restrictions will lapse annually in equal increments, beginning on the first anniversary of the issue date.
- (3) Shares of restricted stock for which the forfeiture restrictions lapse over a period of three years, subject to the issuer achieving certain predetermined, fully diluted earnings per share and soundness thresholds during the period.
- (4) Bona fide gift

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