

META FINANCIAL GROUP INC
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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 *
HAAHR J TYLER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**META FINANCIAL GROUP INC
 [CASH]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CEO

**C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP,
 INC., 5501 S. BROADBAND LANE**

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

(Street)
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108-2253

(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2011 | 02/03/2011 | J ⁽¹⁾ | 700 A \$ 0 | 54,961 | I | By Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | 14,000.977 | I | By ESOP |
| Common Stock | | | | | 36,819 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 25,160.7 | I | By LLC |
| Common Stock | | | | | 324 | I | By Spouse |

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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 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. Transaction 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) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 23.01 | | | | | 09/30/2009 | 09/30/2019 | Common Stock | 8,449 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 16 | | | | | 09/30/2008 | 09/30/2018 | Common Stock | 15,766 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 39.84 | | | | | 09/28/2007 | 09/28/2017 | Common Stock | 7,155 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 24.43 | | | | | 09/29/2006 | 09/29/2016 | Common Stock | 8,940 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 18.87 | | | | | 09/30/2005 | 09/30/2015 | Common Stock | 2,160 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 22.18 | | | | | 09/30/2004 | 09/30/2014 | Common Stock | 22,950 |
| | \$ 21.765 | | | | | 09/30/2003 | 09/30/2013 | | 7,350 |

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|--------------------------------------|----------|------------|------------|-----------------|-------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | | | | Common Stock | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 14.41 | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2012 | Common Stock | 5,220 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 13.65 | 09/30/2001 | 09/30/2011 | Common Stock | 5,670 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 31.79 | 09/30/2010 | 09/30/2020 | Common Stock | 6,595 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HAAHR J TYLER C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 5501 S. BROADBAND LANE SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108-2253 | X | | CEO | |

Signatures

Ira D. Frericks,
POA

02/07/2011

__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) Award pursuant to the Company's 2002 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

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