SOLON EVERETT J

Form 4

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

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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 * SOLON EVERETT J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	CENTRUE FINANCIAL CORP [TRUE]			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
122 W MADISON STREET	01/31/2007	below) below) MARKET PRESIDENT		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
OTTAWA, IL 61350		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner		
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(City)	(State) (Zij	^{p)} Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Se	curities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4)	(A) or of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK						14,735 (1)	D	
COMMON STOCK						253.41 (2)	I	401(K) PLAN
COMMON STOCK						25,288.6037 (3)	I	ESOP

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Securit	rivative ties red sed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	curitie
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of Sha
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 16.0625						11/18/2002	11/18/2009	COMMON STOCK	1
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 13						02/14/2002	02/14/2007	COMMON STOCK	1,0
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 18.5						02/16/2003	02/16/2008	COMMON STOCK	3,0
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 15						02/11/2004	02/11/2009	COMMON STOCK	3,:
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 11.75						02/15/2006	02/15/2011	COMMON STOCK	3,
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 14.25						11/13/2006	02/20/2012	COMMON STOCK	4,0

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EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 15.09				11/13/2006	12/19/2012	COMMON STOCK	2,9
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 20.3				11/13/2006	06/16/2015	COMMON STOCK	5,0
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 19.03	01/31/2007	A	5,000	01/31/2008	01/31/2014	COMMON STOCK	5,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

SOLON EVERETT J 122 W MADISON STREET OTTAWA, IL 61350

MARKET PRESIDENT

Signatures

EVERETT J.

SOLON 02/02/2007

**Signature of Date
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) ALL SHARES HELD JOINTLY WITH SPOUSE, EXCEPT FOR 5,040 SHARES HELD INDIVIDUALLY.
- (2) ALL SHARES WERE ACCUMULATED THROUGH AUTOMATIC PAYCHECK DEDUCTIONS TO 401(K) PLAN.
- (3) ALL SHARES ACCUMULATED THROUGH THE EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PLAN.
- (4) THIS OPTION WILL VEST IN EQUAL INSTALLMENTS OF 1,000 SHARES PER YEAR OVER 5 YEARS BEGINNING 01/31/08.

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