#### STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

December 11, 2013

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HANSER FREDERICK O			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Shooth and applicable)		
2 SALEM ESTATES			(Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2013	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
ST LOUIS, M	Filed(Month/Day/Year)  Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by O  Form filed by Month Person					

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d 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	12/10/2013		M	2,999	A	\$ 6.1733	36,604	D	
Common Stock	12/10/2013		F	414	D	\$ 44.65	36,190	D	
Common Stock	12/10/2013		S	5,000	D	\$ 44.73	31,190	D	

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)	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 Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 6.1733	12/10/2013		M	2,999	<u>(1)</u>	02/03/2014	Common Stock	2,999
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0					04/01/2004(2)	(3)	Common Stock	21,007
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 8.986					<u>(4)</u>	01/03/2015	Common Stock	2,250
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 17					<u>(5)</u>	01/03/2016	Common Stock	2,250

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HANSER FREDERICK O							
2 SALEM ESTATES	X						
ST LOUIS, MO 63124							
<b>0</b> '							

## **Signatures**

By: David M. Minnick For: Frederick O.
Hanser

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) Options vest in 20% increments yearly from the grant date.
- (2) Units vest quarterly over a one year period.
- (3) No expiration date for these Units.
- (4) Options vest in 20 percent increments on 1/3/06, 1/3/07, 1/3/08, 1/3/09 and 1/3/10.
- (5) 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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