

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP
 [CINF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/01/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP & Chief Ins. Off. - Sub

FAIRFIELD, OH 45014-5141

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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		
Common Stock	03/01/2016		M		277 A \$ 0	73,755	I By Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2016		M		2,700 A \$ 0	76,455	I By Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2016		F		964 D \$ 63.72	75,491	I By Trust
Common Stock						2,897 ⁽¹⁾	I By 401(k) Plan
Common Stock						50,413	I By Spouse's Trust

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- (2) The restricted stock units vested March 1, 2016, as set forth in the grant agreement providing for ratable vesting over a three year service period ending March 1, 2018.
- (3) The restricted stock units became payable March 1, 2016. The performance goals were met at the threshold level.

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