CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TOMCZYK JAMES E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP

[(CHFC)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

02/25/2008

X_ Officer (give title Officer of Princ. Bus. Unit

(Check all applicable)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

823 RIVERVIEW DRIVE

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code

4. Securities Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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

Security

(Instr. 3)

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8		Acquired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, at 5)	(D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Number Shares
Stock Options	\$ 24.52	02/25/2008		A		958		02/25/2009	02/25/2018	Common Stock	95
Stock Options	\$ 24.52	02/25/2008		A		957		02/25/2010	02/25/2018	Common Stock	95
Stock Options	\$ 24.52	02/25/2008		A		957		02/25/2011	02/25/2018	Common Stock	95
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/25/2008		A		1,914.88		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,914 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TOMCZYK JAMES E 823 RIVERVIEW DRIVE BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

Officer of Princ. Bus. Unit

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Ott, his Attorney-in-Fact

02/27/2008

**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).

Award of restricted stock units pursuant to the Chemical Financial Corporation Stock Incentive Plan of 2006. Restricted stock units are convertible into shares of common stock upon the attainment by the Company of certain financial performance criteria upon completion of the year ending December 31, 2010. Restricted stock units are reported assuming shares of common stock will be issuable on a 1-for-1 basis, but restricted stock units may be convertible on a .05-for-1 or 2-for-1 basis depending on the actual performance of the Company.

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