COBIZ FINANCIAL INC

Form 4 May 21, 2008

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DUMLAO TROY**

(First) (Middle) (Last)

821 17TH STREET

DENVER, CO 80202

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

COBIZ FINANCIAL INC [COBZ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

VP & Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Owned

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

Beneficially Following Reported Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date** Securities Security or Exercise Code (Month/Day/Year) any

(Instr. 3 and 4)

7. Title and Amour

Underlying Securit

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	of				
				Code	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.03	05/15/2008		A	50		05/15/2008	05/15/2015	Common Stock	50
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.39	05/14/2008		A	1,500		<u>(1)</u>	05/14/2015	Common Stock	1,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Rela	ationships	
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUMLAO TROY 821 17TH STREET DENVER, CO 80202

VP & Controller

Signatures

Troy Dumlao 05/21/2008

**Signature of Person 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) This option becomes exercisable ratably over a three year period.

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