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Form 4 June 29, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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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 \* MEYER DONALD E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

HALLMARK FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [HALL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

below) PRESIDENT OF OPERATING UNIT

7411 JOHN SMITH DRIVE, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

1400

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

06/27/2007

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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SAN ANTONIO, TX 78229

(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table 1	I - Non-Dei	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, 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. Transactio 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)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	06/27/2007		Code V P	Amount 500	(D)	Price \$ 11.99	(Instr. 3 and 4) 4,234	D	
COMMON STOCK	06/27/2007		P	100	A	\$ 11.97	4,334	D	
COMMON STOCK	06/27/2007		P	400	A	\$ 12	4,734	D	

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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. 5. TransactionNumber Code of (Instr. 8) Derivativ Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 12.52					<u>(1)</u>	05/24/2017	COMMON STOCK	15,000

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MEYER DONALD E 7411 JOHN SMITH DRIVE SUITE 1400 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78229

PRESIDENT OF OPERATING UNIT

### **Signatures**

STEVEN D. DAVIDSON AS ATTORNEY-IN-FACT FOR DONALD E. MEYER

06/29/2007

\*\*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).
- (1) Represents employee stock options exercisable as to 1,500, 3,000, 4,500 and 6,000 shares on May 24, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011, respectively.

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