

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Minnick David M

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 12609 CONWAY ROAD
 (Street)

CREVE COEUR, MO 63141

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 01/22/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 General Counsel & Senior VP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	01/22/2015		M	2,187 A \$ 0	15,471	D	
Common Stock	01/22/2015		F	845 D \$ 46.74	14,626	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2015		G	200 D \$ 0	14,426	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2015		G	20 D \$ 0	14,406	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2015		G	30 D \$ 0	14,376	D	

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Common Stock	01/26/2015	G	250	D	\$ 0	14,126	D
Common Stock	01/26/2015	G	250	D	\$ 0	13,876	D
Common Stock	01/26/2015	G	250	D	\$ 0	13,626	D
Common Stock	01/26/2015	G	250	D	\$ 0	13,376	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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	01/22/2015		M	2,187	02/17/2009 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾	Common Stock	2,187

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Minnick David M 12609 CONWAY ROAD CREVE COEUR, MO 63141			General Counsel & Senior VP	

Signatures

DAVID MICHAEL MINNICK
01/26/2015

**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) Units vest 100% three years from the grant date.
 - (2) No expiration date for these Units.

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