

Hudson David William
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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 *
 Hudson David William

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP [CPF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 220 S KING ST., 22ND FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/01/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
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HONOLULU, HI 96813

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/01/2013		M	3,472 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0 9,129	I	David W. Hudson and Dana E. Kokubum Family Trust dtd 2/1/99
Common Stock	01/01/2013		M	1,738 ⁽²⁾	A \$ 0 10,867	I	David W. Hudson and Dana E. Kokubum Family

Trust dtd
2/1/99

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

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(9-02)**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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit (3)	\$ 0	01/01/2013		F	1,757 (4)	05/02/2011 01/01/2013	Common Stock	1,757
Restricted Stock Unit (3)	\$ 0	01/01/2013		M	3,472 (1)	05/02/2011 01/01/2013	Common Stock	3,472
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	01/01/2013		M	1,738 (2)	01/01/2012 01/01/2013	Common Stock	1,738

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

/s/ Patricia Foley, attorney-in-fact for David W.
Hudson

01/03/2013

**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) Net amount of shares after returning a portion to satisfy tax withholding obligations
- (2) Salary shares for each payroll period in 2012 through 3/30/2012 granted and vested, but received on 1/1/2013
- (3) 2011 Executive Committee Equity Grants - Salary Shares.
- (4) To cover tax withholding obligations at time of receipt

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