

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
QUEENER HUGH M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC [PNFP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 150 THIRD AVE SOUTH, SUITE 900
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/18/2016

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 CAO

NASHVILLE, TN, X1 37201

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| PNFP Common Stock | 06/05/2015 | | G | 400 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 0 | 235,079 | D |
| PNFP Common Stock | 12/23/2015 | | G | 300 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 0 | 234,779 | D |
| PNFP Common Stock | 01/18/2016 | | F | 114 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 46.83 | 234,665 | D |
| PNFP Common Stock | 01/20/2016 | | F | 315 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 46.5 | 234,350 | D |

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|-------------------------|--------|---|--|------------|
| Common Stock | | | | |
| PNFP Common Stock | 53,420 | D | | |
| PNFP Common Stock | 1,226 | D | | |
| PNFP Common Stock | 500 | I | | IRA-Spouse |
| PNFP Common Stock | 3,967 | I | | 401K Plan |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| QUEENER HUGH M 150 THIRD AVE SOUTH SUITE 900 NASHVILLE, TN, X1 37201 | | | CAO | |

Signatures

/s/ Hugh M.
Queener

01/20/2016

__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 share withholding to cover taxes due upon vesting of certain restricted share awards.

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