HANMI FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4 April 10, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

KIM SEON HONG

Symbol HANMI FINANCIAL CORP

(Check all applicable)

OMB

Number:

Expires:

response...

Estimated average

burden hours per

(Middle)

(Zip)

[HAFC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director

below)

10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

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3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

3660 WILSHIRE BLVD. PH-A

(First)

(Street)

(State)

04/08/2009

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Code V

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

LOS ANGELES, CA 90010

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock Grant 04/08/2009 (1)

A 15,000 \$0 126,862

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)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onDerivative	Expiration Date		Underlying S	securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year	r)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)				
	Derivative				or Disposed of	f			
	Security				(D)				
					(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number
				Code V	(A) (D))			of Share
Stock Option	\$ 1.35	04/08/2009		A	20,000	04/08/2010(2)	04/07/2019	Common Stock	20,00

5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KIM SEON HONG 3660 WILSHIRE BLVD. PH-A LOS ANGELES, CA 90010	X					

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Signatures

1. Title of 2.

/s/Seon Hong
Kim

_**Signature of 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) A stock bonus award with vesting over five years from the grant date, April 8, 2009.
- (2) 20% of stock options will be vested on each anniversary date for the next five years.

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