

ARROW 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 *
BILODEAU GERARD R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARROW FINANCIAL CORP [AROW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ARROW FINANCIAL CORPORATION, 250 GLEN STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/22/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP & Corporate Secretary

(Street)
GLENS FALLS, NY 12801

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/22/2009		M		4,655	A	\$ 12.92
Common Stock	04/22/2009		F		3,236 (1)	D	\$ 26.27
Common Stock	04/22/2009		M		4,655	A	\$ 11.99
Common Stock	04/22/2009		F		3,029 (2)	D	\$ 26.27
	04/22/2009		M		5,171	A	27,404

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Common Stock					\$ 19.21			
Common Stock	04/22/2009	F	4,251 (3)	D	\$ 26.27	23,153	D	
Common Stock	04/22/2009	S	300	D	\$ 26.42	22,853	D	
Common Stock	04/22/2009	J(4)	0	A	\$ 0	27,160	I	ESOP
Common Stock	04/22/2009	J(4)	0	A	\$ 0	2,967	I	ESPP w/Wife

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 (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	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.92	12/15/1999		M	4,655	12/20/2003 12/20/2009	Common Stock	4,655	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.99	12/20/2000		M	4,655	12/20/2004 12/20/2010	Common Stock	4,655	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.21	12/15/2001		M	5,171	12/15/2005 12/15/2011	Common Stock	5,171	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BILODEAU GERARD R ARROW FINANCIAL CORPORATION 250 GLEN STREET GLENS FALLS, NY 12801			SVP & Corporate Secretary	

Signatures

Gerard R.
Bilodeau

04/23/2009

**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) Includes 1) 2,289 shares surrendered by reporting person to issuer to pay the exercise price of the derivative security and 2) 947 shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy withholding tax liabilities relating to the exercise.
- (2) Includes 1) 2,124 shares surrendered by reporting person to issuer to pay the exercise price of the derivative security and 2) 905 shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy withholding tax liabilities relating to the exercise.
- (3) Includes 1) 3,782 shares surrendered by reporting person to issuer to pay the exercise price of the derivative security and 2) 469 shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy withholding tax liabilities relating to the exercise.
- (4) Amount of securities beneficially owned.
- (5) Exercise of derivative security.

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