BENOSKI JAMES E

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of BENOSKI JAMES	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	[CINF] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earli (Month/Day/Yo 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD 01/03/2007					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VICE CHAIRMAN & CIO			
(Stre	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
FAIRFIELD, OH 4	5014-5141					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (Stat	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	any		4. Securi or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 01/03/	2007 01/03/2	2007 A	10	A	\$ 45.39	109,652	D		
Common Stock						35,372	I	Spouse	

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.95					01/25/2001	01/25/2010	Common Stock	48,460	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.6					<u>(1)</u>	01/27/2009	Common Stock	1,575	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.45					02/01/2004	02/01/2013	Common Stock	55,125	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.81					01/31/2002	01/31/2011	Common Stock	55,125	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.96					01/28/2003	01/28/2012	Common Stock	55,125	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.8					01/19/2005	01/19/2014	Common Stock	55,125	
Employee Stock	\$ 38.87					(1)	02/07/2008	Common Stock	4,199	

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Option (right to buy)					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.62	<u>(1)</u>	01/25/2015	Common Stock	63,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.26	<u>(1)</u>	02/02/2016	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BENOSKI JAMES E			VICE				
6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD	X		CHAIRMAN &				
FAIRFIELD, OH 45014-5141			CIO				

Signatures

JAMES E BENOSKI

01/05/2007 Date

**Signature of 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) The option is exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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