TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

October 06, 2015

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

(Middle)

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

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Form 4 or

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BATTAGLIA PAUL J.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP

[TMP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2015

(Check all applicable)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Issuer

ITHACA, NY 14851

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Phantom Stock	(1)	10/02/2015		A	72.903	<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Stock	72.903		
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	10/02/2015		A	205.873	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	205.873		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TTAGLIA PAUL J.						
MPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION	X					

BATTAGLIA PAUL J. TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATIO P O BOX 460 ITHACA, NY 14851



/s/ Paul J. Battaglia 10/05/2015

**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).

Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock. Phantom stock represents deferred stock

- (1) compensation under the Amended and Restated Retainer Plan for Eligible Directors of Tompkins Financial Corporation and its Wholly-Owned Subsidiaries. These shares are held in a rabbi trust pending distribution upon the occurrence of certain events specified in the Plan. The reporting person has no voting or investment power over the shares prior to such distribution.
- (2) Includes shares acquired through quarterly reinvestment of dividends.

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