

Collins William C
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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 *
Collins William C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP
[CHFC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
235 E. MAIN STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/22/2018

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Exec V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secy

MIDLAND, MI 48640

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

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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	02/22/2018		M	528 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 0	11,398.557 ₍₂₎	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2018		F	180 ⁽³⁾ D \$ 56.08	11,218.557	D	
Common Stock					5,525.548 ⁽⁴⁾	I	By 401(k) 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. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Service-Based Units	(1)	02/22/2018		M	459 <u>(1)</u>	(1) (1)	Common Stock	459 <u>(1)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Collins William C 235 E. MAIN STREET MIDLAND, MI 48640			Exec V.P., Gen. Counsel & Secy	

Signatures

/s/ William C.
Collins

02/26/2018

**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) Restricted stock service-based units converted into shares of common stock at the end of a 5-year vesting period. Dividend equivalents accrued on the restricted stock service-based units.
- (2) Between 1/1/2017 and 12/31/2017 the reporting person acquired 33.985 shares of Chemical Financial Corporation common stock through dividend reinvestment.
- (3) Shares withheld to satisfy applicable withholding taxes in connection with conversion of restricted stock service-based units.
- (4) Between 1/1/2017 and 12/31/2017 the reporting person acquired 122.671 shares of Chemical Financial Corporation common stock under the Chemical Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan.

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