

Hudson David William
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 Hudson David William

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP [CPF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 220 S KING ST., 22ND FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/11/2017

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP

HONOLULU, HI 96813
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	12/11/2017		G ⁽¹⁾	V 344 D \$ 0	23,084	I	David Hudson and Dana Kokubun Trust dated 2/3/99
Common Stock ⁽²⁾					3,207	D	
Common Stock ⁽³⁾					1,130	D	
					825	D	

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Gifted shares to Aloha United Way
- (2) RSUs performance-based, granted 2/17/15 reported at maximum number of shares to vest. Actual number of shares to vest based on performance results
- (3) 2/16/16 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest equally over 3 years.
- (4) 2/15/17 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest evenly over 3 years
- (5) RSUs time-based; granted 2/17/15
- (6) RSU performance-based grant 2/28/14
- (7) RSU time-based grant 2/28/14

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