

Hanson Bradley C
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Hanson Bradley C

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
META FINANCIAL GROUP INC
[CASH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP,
INC., 5501 S. BROADBAND LANE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/01/2012

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below) EVP

(Street)
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108-2253

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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. 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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					2,459.67	I	By ESOP
Common Stock	02/01/2012		J(1)	600 A \$ 0	21,569	D	

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. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.79					09/30/2010	09/30/2020	Common Stock	3,146	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.79					09/30/2010	09/30/2020	Common Stock	2,816	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.01					09/30/2009	09/30/2019	Common Stock	7,407	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16					09/30/2008	09/30/2018	Common Stock	13,514	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.84					09/28/2007	09/28/2017	Common Stock	5,400	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.43					<u>(3)</u>	09/29/2016	Common Stock	20,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.43					09/29/2006	09/29/2016	Common Stock	5,700	
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 20.415					<u>(2)</u>	10/24/2015	Common Stock	20,000	

Buy)

Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.87	09/30/2005	09/30/2015	Common Stock	3,937
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.18	09/30/2004	09/30/2014	Common Stock	984
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.76	05/03/2008	05/03/2014	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.76	05/03/2009	05/03/2014	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.76	05/03/2012	05/03/2014	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hanson Bradley C C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 5501 S. BROADBAND LANE SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108-2253	X		EVP	

Signatures

Ira D. Frericks,
POA 02/03/2012

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

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- (1) Award granted pursuant to the Company's 2002 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (2) Option vests in four equal annual installments beginning October 24, 2006.
- (3) Option vests in four equal annual installments beginning September 29, 2007.

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