

CHEVIOT FINANCIAL CORP
 Form 4
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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 *
 Hausfeld Steven R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CHEVIOT FINANCIAL CORP
 [CHEV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/20/2008

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

3723 GLENMORE AVENUE

(Street)

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

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

CHEVIOT, OH 45211

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 05/20/2008 | | A | V 1,425 (1) | \$ 0 6,275 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 200 | I | 1/3 partner BLB Partnership |

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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Options | \$ 9.03 | 05/20/2008 | | A | 4,460 <u>(2)</u> | 05/20/2009 05/20/2018 | Common Stock | 4,460 |
| Stock Options | \$ 13.63 | | | | | 05/22/2008 05/22/2017 | Common Stock | 4,460 <u>(3)</u> |
| Stock Options | \$ 12.12 | | | | | 05/23/2007 05/23/2016 | Common Stock | 4,460 <u>(4)</u> |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hausfeld Steven R 3723 GLENMORE AVENUE CHEVIOT, OH 45211 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Steven R.
Hausfeld

05/22/2008

**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) Shares of restricted stock vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on May 20, 2009.

(2) Options to purchase shares of common stock vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on May 20, 2009.

(3) Options to purchase shares of common stock vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on May 22, 2008.

(4) Options to purchase shares of common stock vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on May 23, 2007.

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