

BankFinancial CORP
Form 4
February 28, 2008

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Schudt Joseph A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

15W060 NORTH FRONTAGE
ROAD

(Street)

BURR RIDGE, IL 60527

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
BankFinancial CORP [BFIN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/26/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					48,771	D	
Common Stock					23,621	I	By IRA
Common Stock					5,432	I	By spouse's IRA
Common Stock					11,969	I	By Trust

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. Date of Acquisition or Disposition (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	\$ 14.82	02/26/2008		A		38,664		<u>(1)</u>	09/05/2011	Common Stock	38,664
Stock Options (Rights to Buy)	\$ 17.62							<u>(2)</u>	09/05/2011	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Schudt Joseph A 15W060 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD BURR RIDGE, IL 60527	X

Signatures

/s/ F. Morgan Gasior, pursuant to power of attorney

02/28/2008

__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).

- Stock Option Awards granted pursuant to the February 2008 amendment to the 2008 Board compensation program whereby the Board
- (1) will receive stock options in lieu of cash payment for Board fees earned after March 1, 2008. These will vest 25% on each of March 15, 2008, June 15, 2008, September 15, 2008 and December 15, 2008, respectively.
 - (2) Stock Option Awards granted pursuant to the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan of BankFinancial Corporation vest ratably over five annual installments commencing December 15, 2006.

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