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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC [PNFP] White J. Harvey (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 211 COMMERCE (Check all applicable) STREET, Â SUITE 300 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Chief Credit Officer Person NASHVILLE, ÂTNÂ 37201 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â D PNFP Common Stock 6,000 **PNFP Common Stock** $3,500^{(1)}$ D 401K Plan PNFP Common Stock 218 I Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

4. 5. 6. Nature of Indirect Conversion Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Derivative So (Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	(Instr. 5)
						or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
White J. Harvey						
211 COMMERCE STREET	â	Â	Chief Credit Officer	Â		
SUITE 300	А	A	A Chief Cledit Officer	A		
NASHVILLE, TN 37201						

Signatures

/s/ J. Harvey
White

10/07/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 3. Shares of restricted stock for which the forfeiture restrictions lapse over a period of five years from the August 29, 2009 grant date. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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