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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BROADWAY FINANCIAL CORP \DE\ [BYFC] Sarpong Sam (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 4800 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) LOS ANGELES, CAÂ 90010 Form filed by More than One Chief Financial Officer Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 0 D Â No securities beneficially owned 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security | | 4. Conversion or Exercise | 5. Ownership Form of | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|-----------------|--|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| | | | (Instr. 4) | | Price of | Derivative | |
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of | Derivative | Security: | |
| | | | | | Security | Direct (D) | |
| | | | | | | or Indirect | |

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Shares (I) (Instr. 5)

Employee Stock Option (right to buy)

(1)

04/21/2014 Com

Common Stock

10,000 \$ 13.11

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sarpong Sam

4800 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CAÂ 90010 Â Chief Financial Officer Â

Signatures

\s\ Daniele C. Johnson, Corporate Secretary, as Attorney-in-fact

10/24/2006

**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) The option is exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on 04/21/2005.

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