

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

February 16, 2012

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MULROY THOMAS P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

200 GARRISON FOREST ROAD

(Street)

OWINGS MILLS, MD 21117-4110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]

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

02/14/2012

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)

Director

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	255,357	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)**

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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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	02/14/2012		A		10,928		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	10,928	\$
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	02/14/2012		A		2,732		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	2,732	\$
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	02/14/2012		A		10,929		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	10,929	\$
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0	02/14/2012		A		27,322		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	27,322	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MULROY THOMAS P 200 GARRISON FOREST ROAD OWINGS MILLS, MD 21117-4110	X		Director	

Signatures

THOMAS
MULROY 02/16/2012

**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) Units vest in 20% increments over a five year period.

(2) No expiration date for these Units.

(3) Units vest 100% five years from the grant date.

(4) Units vest in equal yearly increments over a ten year period. This vesting may be accelerated based on the Company's performance.

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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