

META FINANCIAL GROUP INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**HAAHR JAMES S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**META FINANCIAL GROUP INC  
 [CASH]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**METABANK, 2500 S.  
 MINNESOTA AVE.**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**09/28/2007**

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

(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

**SIOUX FALLS, SD 57101**

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
Common Stock	09/28/2007	09/28/2007	J	300 <sup>(1)</sup> A	\$ 0 <sub>(1)</sub>	I	by trust
Common Stock					8,386.9	I	by LLC
Common Stock					27,187.099	I	by ESOP
Common Stock					47,840.405	I	by 401(k)

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
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.84	09/28/2007	09/28/2007	J <sup>(1)</sup>	5,935	09/28/2007	09/28/2017	Common Stock	5,935
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.43					09/29/2006	09/26/2016	Common Stock	7,914
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.18					09/30/2004	09/30/2014	Common Stock	8,100
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.765					09/30/2003	09/30/2013	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.41					09/30/2002	09/30/2012	Common Stock	5,220
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.65					09/30/2001	09/30/2011	Common Stock	5,250
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.625					09/30/2000	09/30/2010	Common Stock	4,500

buy)

Stock

Option \$ 13

(right to buy)

09/30/1999 09/30/2009 Common Stock 4,987

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HAAHR JAMES S METABANK 2500 S. MINNESOTA AVE. SIOUX FALLS, SD 57101	X	X	Chairman	

## Signatures

Jonathan M.  
Gaiser, POA 09/28/2007

    \*\*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) Award granted pursuant to the Company's 2002 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

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