FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     FULMER L CRAIG						LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP [ LKFN ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)      X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 120 W. LEXINGTON						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2011										(give title		Other (s			
(Street) ELKHART IN 46516					_											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)																					
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					ction	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A)		i (A) or	5. Am Secur Bener Owne		ınt of es ially Following			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code				v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(instr. 4)					
Common	02/07/2011				J <sup>(1)</sup>		57.646	A	\$21.6	21.6229 14,03		38.345		D							
Common Stock				02/07/2011				<b>J</b> (1)		227.304	4 A	\$21.6	32,0		76.079			By Spouse			
Common Stock				02/23/2011					P		231.293	3 A	\$21.6	1.6176 14,269.638		69.638		D			
Common Stock 02/23/2					2011	011			P		231.293	3 A	\$21.6	21.6176 32		307.372			By Spouse		
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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)	if any	med on Date, Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		n of l		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		ite	7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		De	Price of grivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								
Phantom Stock	(2)								(4)		(3)	Common Stock	23,193	3		23,193		D			
Stock Options (Right to	\$17.185								12/09/2	008	12/09/2013	Common Stock	1,000			1,000		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

Buy) Stock Options

(Right to

1. Dividend reinvestment for 2011.

\$24.05

- 2. Each phantom stock unit exersises into 1 share of Common Stock
- 3. Phantom shares expire after the directors' retirement as a Board member.
- 4. Phantom stock is exercisable after the directors' retirement as a Board member

Teresa A. Bartman, Attorney-02/25/2011 in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

1,000

Common Stock

05/14/2018

04/10/2012

Date

D

1,000

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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