FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FULMER L CRAIG						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP [LKFN] S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner											wner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 120 W. LEXINGTON					02	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2008								be	low)	(give title		Other (s			
(Street) ELKHART IN 46516						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting											n				
(City) (State) (Zip)															Person						
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1. Title of	Security (Inst	tr. 3)		2. Trans Date (Month/I			2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye		Code (Ir		on Disposed Of (15)		es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					1/2000					v	Amount	(D)	FIIC	e (Inst	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		D				
Common Stock					/04/2008				M	\dashv	1,85	0 A	1 3	14	7,556		_		By		
Common	Stock															1.672		I	Spouse		
		-							quired, Di s, options						ed						
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivat Securit	tive ty	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		oiration te	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r							
Phantom Stock	(1)						Τ		10/25/2005	10/2	25/2005	Common Stock	78			78		D			
Phantom Stock	(1)								04/26/2005	04/2	26/2015	Common Stock	84			84		D			
Phantom Stock	(1)								07/12/2005	07/	12/2015	Common Stock	400			400		D			
Phantom Stock	(1)								07/26/2005	07/2	26/2015	Common Stock	70			70		D			
Phantom Stock	(1)								(2)		(3)	Common Stock	3,225	5		3,225		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								07/14/2004	07/	14/2014	Common Stock	582			582		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								01/07/2003	01/0	07/2013	Common Stock	797.2	2		797.2		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								01/16/2004	01/	16/2014	Common Stock	598			598		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								04/28/2004	04/2	28/2014	Common Stock	74			74		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								01/28/2003	01/2	28/2013	Common Stock	74.8			74.8		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								10/27/2003	10/2	27/2013	Common Stock	60			60		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								01/01/2003	01/0	01/2003	Common Stock	9,551	.2		9,551.	2	D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								01/26/2004	01/2	26/2014	Common Stock	56			56		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								07/26/2004	07/2	26/2014	Common Stock	80			80		D			
Phantom Stock	\$0								07/10/2003	07/	10/2013	Common Stock	523			523		D			

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/26/2005	01/26/2015	Common Stock	66		66	D	
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/11/2005	01/11/2015	Common Stock	428		428	D	
Phantom Stock	\$0							04/28/2003	04/28/2013	Common Stock	74.8		74.8	D	
Phantom Stock	\$0							07/30/2003	07/30/2013	Common Stock	63		63	D	
Phantom Stock	\$0							10/26/2004	10/26/2014	Common Stock	74		74	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$6.75							06/13/2005	06/13/2010	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$6.8125							01/09/2006	01/09/2011	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$7.5625							02/08/2005	02/08/2010	Common Stock	1,200		1,200	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$9.7188							02/09/2004	02/09/2009	Common Stock	1,150		1,150	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$17.185							12/09/2008	12/09/2013	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$19.96							12/11/2012	12/11/2017	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to	\$14	02/04/2008		М			1,850	05/12/2003	05/10/2008	Common Stock	1,850	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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

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02/05/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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