FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Christian Darrianne P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP [ LKFN ]								(Ch	eck all apport	ctor		10% O	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) P.O. BOX 1387						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2023									belov	er (give title w)		Other (s	specify
(Street) WARSA	Street) WARSAW IN 46581				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)					Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication														
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		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive Se	ecur	ities	Acq	uired, I	Disp	osed of	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally Own	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execu ay/Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. and 5)		ties Acquired (A I Of (D) (Instr. 3,			5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned Follow	icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (C	A) or D)	Price		rted action(s) 3 and 4)			
Common Stock 07/11/2						2023			A		650	) A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	7	7,500		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)	ative Conversion Date Execution Date, if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4		d 4)	3. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	Expiration Sable Date Title Shar		nber							

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Becka J. Turnbow, Attorney-in-Fact

07/12/2023

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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