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*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP [LKFN]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1510 COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2003							Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
(Street) WARSAW IN 46580				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 Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)																	
		Та	ble I - Non-D	erivat	ive S	ecuri	ties		Disposed o	f, or Ber	neficially	_					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				te	Execution Date		ate, Transac Code (Ir Year) 8)	nstr.		r. 3, 4 and 5	And 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Table II - Derivati					ive Securities Acqui				sposed of,	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)					
		1	(e.			lls, w	arrar	nts, options	s, convertib	ole secu	rities)						
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	Code	ansaction of Ex ode (Instr. Derivative (M		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	ivative derivative urity Securities		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						
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$13.5							06/13/2005	06/13/2010	Common Stock	500		500		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$13.625							01/09/2006	01/09/2011	Common Stock	1,000		1,000		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$15.125							02/08/2005	02/08/2010	Common Stock	600		600		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$19.4375							02/09/2004	02/09/2009	Common Stock	575		575		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$28							05/12/2003	05/10/2008	Common Stock	925		925		D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/01/2003	01/01/2003	Common Stock	4,378.2		4,378.2	2	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/07/2003	01/07/2013	Common Stock	297.3		297.3		D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/28/2003	01/28/2013	Common Stock	33.8		33.8		D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							04/28/2003	04/28/2013	Common Stock	33.7		33.7		D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							07/10/2003	07/10/2013	Common Stock	264.5		264.5		D		
Phantom	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	07/30/2003		A	\top	28		07/30/2003 ⁽²⁾	07/30/2013 ⁽³⁾	Common	28	\$31.7	28		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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07/31/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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