FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					or Sec	ction 30	(n) of	tne Investment	Company Act	ot 1940						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LUDWIG ALLAN J</u>						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) 55755 COUNTY ROAD 27			(Middle)			Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 7/30/2003							give title		specify	
(Street) BRISTOL IN 46507					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							G. 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)												1 010011				
		Та	ble I - Non-	Deriva	tive S	ecuri	ties /	Acquired, [Disposed o	f, or Ben	eficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4 and Year) Year)				5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo Reported	s F lly (I ollowing (I	. Ownership orm: Direct D) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	V Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trancacti	on(s)		, ,	
			Table II - D					cquired, Di nts, options	• '		-	Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ion 3A. Deemed Execution Date		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		mber rative rities ired rosed)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e 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	4,112.	1	4,112.1	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/07/2003	01/07/2013	Common Stock	280.5		280.5	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							01/28/2003	01/28/2013	Common Stock	31.7		31.7	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							04/28/2003	04/28/2013	Common Stock	31.7		31.7	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0							07/10/2003	07/10/2013	Common Stock	240.5		240.5	D		
Phantom Stock	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	07/30/2003		A		26.5		07/30/2003 ⁽²⁾	07/30/2013 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock	26.5	\$31.7	26.5	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

- * 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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