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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Hurford Jennifer M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP [LKFN]										k all app Direc	tor 10% er (give title Othe		son(s) to Is 10% Ov Other (so	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION P.O. BOX 1387					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2023									SVP & Treasurer					
(Street) WARSA	W IN	4	6581-13	387	4. If <i>I</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				on
(City)	(St	ate) (Z	ľip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Dat		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (ADisposed Of (D) (Instr. 35)			4 and Securi Benefi		ies cially Following	Form:	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pri	се	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(111301. 7)
Common Stock 02/07/2					2023	2023			A		338	A	A \$0		6,029			D	
Common Stock														489			401(k) Plan		
	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 Date (Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)			on Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Der Sed (Ins	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y [0	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	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r					

Explanation of Responses:

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

02/08/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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