

Hunt Clifton S  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Hunt Clifton S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CADENCE FINANCIAL CORP  
[CADE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/25/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

P. O. BOX 1187

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

STARKVILLE, MS 39760

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock					6,000	I	By IRA
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	100 A \$ 9.88	4,200	I	IRA for Wife
Cadence Financial					14,200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

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Corporation Common Stock									
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	2,000	A	\$ 9.87	14,000	I	Standard Cons Com Investment
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	1,900	A	\$ 9.88	6,100	I	IRA for Wife
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	1,500	A	\$ 9.88	15,500	I	Standard Cons Com Investment
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	1,000	A	\$ 9.84	16,500	I	Standard Cons Com Investment
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	200	A	\$ 9.85	16,700	I	Standard Cons Com Investment
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	07/25/2008	07/25/2008	P	300	D	\$ 9.86	17,000	I	Standard Cons Com Investment

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

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**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	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
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Security		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
		Code V	(A) (D)				
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 16.14			03/31/2004	01/03/2010	common stock	1,859
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 17.21			03/31/2004	01/03/2011	common stock	3,718
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 17.21			03/31/2004	01/03/2012	common stock	3,718
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 16.14			03/31/2004	01/03/2013	common stock	3,718

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hunt Clifton S P. O. BOX 1187 STARKVILLE, MS 39760		X		

## Signatures

Cliff Hunt 07/25/2008  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) 1,650 shares purchased on 7-30-07 but added wrong to previous total.

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