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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BENOIST PETER		ting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP [EFSC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 150 N. MERA	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2014	_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) President & CEO			
ST. LOUIS, N	(Street) MO 63105		4. If Amendment, Date 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)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative :	Securi	ities Acc	quired, Disposed (of, or Beneficial	lly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			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)
Common Stock	12/15/2014		M	278	A	\$ 0	72,290	D	
Common Stock	12/15/2014		F	93	D	\$ 18.9	72,197	D	
Common Stock							1,175	I (1)	401 (k) Plan
Common Stock							153,028	I	By Trust

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Deriof Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I	vative urities uired or bosed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Restricted Share Units	<u>(2)</u>	12/15/2014		M		278	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	278
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.73						01/05/2009(4)	01/05/2016	Common Stock	3,85
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.17						01/05/2010(4)	01/05/2017	Common Stock	2,90
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.9						01/05/2011(4)	01/05/2018	Common Stock	3,97
Stock Settled Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 25.63						12/15/2007(5)	06/15/2017	Common Stock	16,50
Stock Settled Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 20.63						12/15/2008(6)	06/13/2018	Common Stock	43,1
Stock Settled Stock	\$ 21.49						09/24/2009(7)	09/24/2018	Common Stock	50,0

Appreciation Rights

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BENOIST PETER

150 N. MERAMEC X President & CEO

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

Signatures

/s/ Peter Benoist 12/17/2014

**Signature of 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).
- The reporting person holds units in the stock fund and the number of shares reported as indirectly held in the 401 (k) plan in this row is an estimate of the number of shares of the issuer's Common Stock held in the unitized stock fund and allocated to the reporting person's account
- (2) The RSUs were granted pursuant to the Company's 2002 Stock Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of Common Stock, subject to adjustment as provided in the Grant Agreement.
- The RSUs vest at a rate of 20% annually over five years, subject to continued employment of the reporting person. Vesting occurs on (3) December 15 of each year, commencing in the calendar year of the grant. On each vesting date, for each RSU vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of Common Stock.
- (4) Options vest 33% per year for three years
- Each SSAR consists of the right to receive an amount, in common stock, equal to the excess of the fair market value of a share of common stock on the date of exercise over the exercise price of the SSAR. The SSARs vest at a rate of 20% annually over five years, subject to continued employement of the reporting person. Vesting occurs on December 15 of each year, commencing December 15, 2007.
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