

STECHER KENNETH W  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 STECHER KENNETH W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP  
 [CINF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/03/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr. Vice-President & CFO

FAIRFIELD, OH 45014-5141

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/03/2005	01/03/2005	A	10	\$ 43.72	D	
Common Stock					30,726 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	SPOUSE

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 Security	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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 19.52					04/06/1997 04/06/2006	Common Stock	6,215
Stock Option	\$ 21.39					04/05/1998 04/05/2007	Common Stock	2,179
Stock Option	\$ 28.3					01/25/2001 01/25/2010	Common Stock	15,750
Stock Option	\$ 32.14					01/27/2000 01/27/2009	Common Stock	5,250
Stock Option	\$ 32.26					08/24/1999 08/24/2008	Common Stock	3,150
Stock Option	\$ 34.08					02/01/2004 02/01/2013	Common Stock	15,750
Stock Option	\$ 34.46					01/31/2002 01/31/2011	Common Stock	15,750
Stock Option	\$ 36.71					01/28/2003 01/28/2012	Common Stock	15,750
Stock Option	\$ 40.82					02/07/1999 02/07/2008	Common Stock	6,300
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 40.75					01/19/2005 01/19/2014	Common Stock	15,750

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD  
FAIRFIELD, OH 45014-5141

Sr. Vice-President & CFO

## Signatures

KENNETH W  
STECHER

01/04/2005

\*\*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) Share amounts have been adjusted for a 5% Stock Dividend, record date April 30, 2004, paid June 15, 2004.

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