FINANCIAL FEDERAL CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

12/19/2006

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SWERGOLD LEOPOLD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FINANCIAL FEDERAL CORP [FIF]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) 733 THIRD		Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D 12/19/20	ay/Year)	ransaction			X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)			ndment, D ath/Day/Yea	ate Origina	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	•		
NEW YORK, NY 10017								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-l	Derivative	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or	of (D)	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)	

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)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title at Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(monda, Day, Teal)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	ng s	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SWERGOLD LEOPOLD 733 THIRD AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	X						

Signatures

/s/ Swergold,
Leopold 12/21/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Shares of the issuer's common stock received as payment of the \$45,000 annual retainer issued under the 2006 Stock Incentive Plan and calculated using the December 19, 2006 closing price.

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