ASPATORE WALTER J

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ASPATORE WALTER J Issuer Symbol MACKINAC FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable) /MI/ [MFNC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) 255 E. BROWN STREET, SUITE 03/18/2000 120 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BIRMINGHAM, MI 48009 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

		140	ione 1 Tron Derivative Securities required, Disposed of, or Beneficiary Switch					
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	or(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	(D) or	Ownership	
					Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)	
				(4)	Reported	(Instr. 4)		
				(A)	Transaction(s)			
			Code V	or Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common			Couc v					
Common Stock	03/18/2009		P	1,000 A \$ 4.3927	5,435	D		
SIUCK				4.3321				

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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)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ASPATORE WALTER J 255 E. BROWN STREET SUITE 120 BIRMINGHAM, MI 48009	X					

Signatures

Ernie Krueger, Attorney-in-fact 03/19/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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