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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

STILWELL JOSEPH

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

KINGSWAY FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [KFS]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X__ Director ___X__ 10% Owner ___ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)
OOR 09/10/2014

111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)
Form filed by One Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

___ Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10006

1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities
Code (D) Beneficially
(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned

5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect
Beneficially (D) or Beneficial
Owned Indirect (I) Ownership
Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)
Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 09/10/2014

X 17,775 A 4.5 3,188,790 (2)

Price

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisab | ie and | 7. Title and F | Amount o |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onDerivative | Expiration Date | | Underlying S | Securities |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year | r) | (Instr. 3 and | 4) |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) | | | | |
| | Derivative | | | | or Disposed of | | | | |
| | Security | | | | (D) | | | | |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, 4, | | | | |
| | | | | | and 5) | | | | |
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| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title or | Amount |
| | | | | | | | | | Number |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | Date | | of Share |
| | | | | Code v | (A) (D) | | | | Of Share |
| Series A | | 00/10/001/ | | *** | 10.005 | 00/10/2014(2) | 00450000 | Common | 10.00 |
| Warrant | \$ 4.5 | 09/10/2014 | | X | 17,775 | 08/18/2014(3) | 09/15/2020 | Stock | 17,775 |
| ,, all all | | | | | | | | Diock | |

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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| . 9 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| STILWELL JOSEPH 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006 | X | X | | | | |
| Stilwell Value LLC 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006 | X | X | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |
| Emily Norris, by power of attorney | 09/12/2014 | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * 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).

Date

- (1) The Series A warrants were exercised at a strike price of \$4.50 per warrant, which converted the previously held Series A warrants into Common Stock.
 - After giving effect to the transactions reported herein, the following individual and entities directly own shares of common stock as follows: Joseph Stilwell, 156,250 shares; Stilwell Value Partners III, L.P., 60,000 shares; Stilwell Value Partners IV, L.P., 1,060,000 shares; Stilwell Associates, L.P., 752,555 shares; Stilwell Associates Insurance Fund of The SALI Multi-Series Fund L.P., 0 shares;
- (2) Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P., 971,215 shares; and Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P., 188,770 shares. The aggregate shares are owned indirectly by Joseph Stilwell and all listed entities, other than Stilwell Associates Insurance Fund of The SALI Multi-Series Fund L.P., through Joseph Stilwell's capacity as the managing member and 99% owner of Stilwell Value LLC, which is the general partner of Stilwell Value Partners III, L.P., Stilwell Value Partners IV, L.P., Stilwell Associates, L.P., Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P., and Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P.
- (3) The original date exercisable was 09/16/2016, which was accelerated upon the issuer's notice to redeem the Series A Warrants on 8/18/2014.
- (4) The Series A Warrants were originally acquired in the issuer's rights offering, wherby a Unit was issued at a price of \$4.00 per unit. Each Unit comprises of one common stock, one Series A Warrant, and one Series B Warrant.

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