

TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HARTZ GREGORY J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP
 [TMP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Pres & CEO, Tompkins Trust Co.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2007

P.O. BOX 460
 (Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting
 (check applicable line)

ITHACA, NY 14851

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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) | (A) or (D) | Price | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------|-------|--|--|---|
| Common Stock - 401K/ESOP | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 1,072 | D | Â |
| Common Stock - IRA | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 731 | D | Â |
| Common Stock DRIP | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 3 | I | by Daughter 2 |

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| Common Stock DRIP | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 3 | I | by Daughter |
| Common Stock DRIP | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 26 | I | by Son |

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|----------------------------|--------------|-------|
| | | | | | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | | |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 39.25 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (1) | 09/16/2013 | Common Stock | 1,811 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 39.34 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (1) | 05/03/2014 | Common Stock | 2,721 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 41 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (2) | 11/29/2017 | Common Stock | 1,951 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 42.39 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (2) | 01/23/2016 | Common Stock | 5,501 |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 43.51 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (2) | 01/18/2017 | Common Stock | 7,501 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 41 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â (2) | 11/29/2017 | Common Stock | 8,041 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HARTZ GREGORY J P.O. BOX 460 ITHACA, NY 14851 | Â | Â | Â Pres & CEO, Tompkins Trust Co. | Â |

Signatures

Gregory J. Hartz 02/14/2008

__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) The stock option becomes exercisable in four annual installments commencing two years after the date of grant.
 - (2) The stock option becomes exercisable in six annual installments commencing two years after the date of grant.

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