

Asher Anthony J  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Asher Anthony J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TFS Financial CORP [TFSL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
7007 BROADWAY AVENUE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/11/2009

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

CLEVELAND, OH 44105

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 08/11/2009                           |  | M <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 10,000  | A  | 11                                |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 6,000   | I  | By Spouse                         |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 3,500   | I  | By IRA                            |

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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (1)  | 08/11/2009                           |  | M(1)                           | 10,000  | (2) (2)  | Common Stock  | 10,000                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Asher Anthony J<br>7007 BROADWAY AVENUE<br>CLEVELAND, OH 44105 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Paul J. Huml, Pursuant to Power of Attorney  
Date: 08/25/2009

\_\_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).

As reported on Form 4 dated 8/11/2008 and filed on August 13, 2008, the reporting person received a grant of 50,000 Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") on August 11, 2008. The RSUs vest 20% on each of the first through the fifth anniversaries of the date of the grant. On (1) each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of TFS Financial Corporation common stock, subject to tax withholding. On August 11, 2009, the first 20% of these RSUs vested, resulting in the issuance of 10,000 shares of TFS Financial Corporation common stock to the reporting person.

(2) The Restricted Stock Units vest 20% on each of the first through the fifth anniversaries of the date of the grant. Restricted Stock Units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights in the form of a cash payment in the amount of any cash dividend paid per share of common stock.

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