# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(n) of the investment Company Act or 1940											
	ess of Reporting Pers	son <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
ROSS STEV	<u>EN D</u>			X	Director	10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)			1		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)					
LAKELAND F	INANCIAL COR	( )	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/12/2022		,	,					
P.O. BOX 1387			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6 India	Cladividual or laint/Crave Filing (Chaol: Ar						
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### 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)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130. 4)	
Common Stock	07/12/2022		Α		650	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	28,151	D		

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

#### <u>/s/ Becka J. Turnbow,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

07/14/2022

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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