

Hudson David William
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Hudson David William

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP [CPF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 220 S KING ST., 22ND FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/29/2017

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

HONOLULU, HI 96813
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) | 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 | 12/29/2017 | | G ⁽¹⁾ | V 820 D \$ 0 | 22,264 | I | David Hudson and Dana Kokubun Trust dated 2/3/99 |
| Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | | | | | 3,207 | D | |
| Common Stock ⁽³⁾ | | | | | 1,130 | D | |
| | | | | | 825 | D | |

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| Common Stock <u>(4)</u> | | |
| Common Stock <u>(5)</u> | 812 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(6)</u> | 2,065 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(7)</u> | 1,074 | D |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hudson David William 220 S KING ST., 22ND FLOOR HONOLULU, HI 96813 | | | | EVP |

Signatures

/s/ Patricia Foley, attorney-in-fact for David W. Hudson
 Date: 12/29/2017

__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) Shares gifted to Donor Adviser Fund
- (2) RSUs performance-based, granted 2/17/15 reported at maximum number of shares to vest. Actual number of shares to vest based on performance results
- (3) 2/16/16 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest equally over 3 years.
- (4) 2/15/17 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest evenly over 3 years
- (5) RSUs time-based; granted 2/17/15
- (6) RSU performance-based grant 2/28/14
- (7) RSU time-based grant 2/28/14

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