Thornsberry Sheree Form 4 December 27, 2017

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

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obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Thornsberry Sheree

(First)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108

Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

META FINANCIAL GROUP INC [CASH]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 5501 SOUTH BROADBAND LANE 12/24/2017

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Head of Payments

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

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10% Owner

Other (specify

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3.

Issuer

below)

Person

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

> Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

1,214 Common 12/24/2017 F D 8,786 D (1) 92.9 Stock

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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Thornsberry Sheree 5501 SOUTH BROADBAND LANE SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108

Head of Payments

Signatures

Nichole Green, POA 12/27/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Reflects shares of common stock surrendered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock.

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