

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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1(b).**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 *
CARPENTER HAROLD R2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
PINNACLE FINANCIAL
PARTNERS INC [PNFP]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
150 THIRD AVE SOUTH, SUITE
9003. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/10/2016____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP & CFO(Street)
NASHVILLE, TN 372014. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
PNFP Common Stock	03/10/2016		M	9,189 A	\$ 27.11	117,269	D
PNFP Common Stock	03/10/2016		S	6,526 D	\$ 46.54 (1)	110,743	D
PNFP Common Stock						21,000	D
PNFP						10,302	I 401(k)

Common
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)

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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.11	03/10/2016		M	9,189	(2) 03/15/2016	PNFP Common Stock	9,189

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CARPENTER HAROLD R 150 THIRD AVE SOUTH SUITE 900 NASHVILLE, TN 37201			EVP & CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Harold R.
Carpenter 03/14/2016

**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).

Shares sold represent the stock option exercise price plus anticipated taxes of reporting person. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$46.37 to \$46.74. The reporting person undertakes to provide

(1) to Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc., any security holder of Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.

(2) The options vested in annual 20% increments over a period of five years beginning on the first anniversary of the issue date (March 15, 2006). Options were fully vested on March 15, 2011.

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