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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Casady Mark S			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CITIZENS FINANCIAL GROUP INC/RI [CFG]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/23/2014	4. Relationshi Person(s) to I	p of Reporting ssuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
C/O CITIZENS FINANCIAL GROUP, INC., 600 WASHINGTON BLVD. (Street) STAMFORD, CT 06901				(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)			 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One 		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securit	ies Be	Reporting Person neficially Owned		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

Shares

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Casady Mark S C/O CITIZENS FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 600 WASHINGTON BLVD. STAMFORD, CT 06901	ÂX	Â	Â	Â				
Signatures								
/s/ Lindsey Cameron, as Attorney-in-Fact	09/23/201	.4						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date							
Explanation of Responses:								

No securities are beneficially owned

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