

LANDAMERICA FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TRANI EUGENE P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH
UNIVERSITY, 910 WEST
FRANKLIN STREET

(Street)

RICHMOND, VA 23284

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
LANDAMERICA FINANCIAL
GROUP INC [LFG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/03/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	08/03/2005		S		135	D \$ 62.56	3,573 D
Common Stock	08/04/2005		M		2,000	A \$ 54.04	5,573 D
Common Stock	08/04/2005		S		300	D \$ 61.8	5,273 D
Common Stock	08/04/2005		S		100	D \$ 61.76	5,173 D
	08/04/2005		S		700	D \$ 61.7	4,473 D

Common
Stock

Common Stock	08/04/2005	S	300	D	\$ 61.63	4,173	D
Common Stock	08/04/2005	S	300	D	\$ 61.45	3,873	D
Common Stock	08/04/2005	M	2,000	A	\$ 28.813	5,873	D
Common Stock	08/04/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 61.45	3,873	D
Common Stock	08/04/2005	S	300	D	\$ 61.81	3,573	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.813	08/04/2005		M	2,000	11/19/1999 05/20/2009	Common Stock	2,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 54.04	08/04/2005		M	2,000	12/17/1998 06/17/2008	Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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910 WEST FRANKLIN STREET
RICHMOND, VA 23284

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Signatures

By: Wm. Chadwick Perrine For: Eugene P.
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08/05/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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