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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 *
Hanson Bradley C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
META FINANCIAL GROUP INC
[CASH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/07/2018

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

C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP, INC., 5501 SOUTH BROADBAND LANE

(Street)

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

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

SIoux FALLS, SD 57108

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/07/2018		M	6,250 A \$ 16	6,250	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2018		F	2,220 (1) D \$ 112.4	4,030	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2018		G	4,030 (2) D \$ 0	0	D	
Common Stock	03/07/2018		G	4,030 (2) A \$ 0	143,875	I	BJH Living Trust

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Common Stock 4,194.5134 I By ESOP

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 (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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.79					09/30/2010 09/30/2020	Common Stock	5,962
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.01					09/30/2009 09/30/2019	Common Stock	7,407
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16	03/07/2018		M	6,250	09/30/2008 09/30/2018	Common Stock	6,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hanson Bradley C C/O META FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 5501 SOUTH BROADBAND LANE SIOUX FALLS, SD 57108	X		President	

Signatures

Ashley Menke,
POA

03/09/2018

__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) Reflects shares withheld by the Company to satisfy the exercise price of the purchase of options and tax withholding obligations in connection with exercise of stock options.
 - (2) The transaction involved a gift of shares from the reporting person to the Trust.

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