MEYERCORD F DUFFIELD

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

MEYERCORD F DUFFIELD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

PEAPACK GLADSTONE FINANCIAL CORP [PGC] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/20/2018

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

500 HILLS DRIVE, SUITE 300, PO **BOX 700**

(Street)

(State)

(City)

Common

Stock

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

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1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

68,830.4336

(1)

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securi	ivative ties red sed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	03/20/2018		A	2,97	1	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,971
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.43						<u>(4)</u>	01/04/2020	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.53						<u>(5)</u>	01/03/2021	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.72						<u>(6)</u>	01/03/2022	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.68						<u>(7)</u>	01/02/2023	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Transfer of the second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
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Signatures

F. Duffield
Meyercord

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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) Includes shares received through dividend reinvestment since the last filing.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest and settle in stock on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) The options are exercisable in four equal annual installments on January 4, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014.
- (5) The options are exercisable in four equal annual installments on January 3, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015.
- (6) The options are exercisable in four equal annual installments on January 3, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016.
- (7) The options are exercisable in three equal annual installments on January 2, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

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