

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**KUBACKI MICHAEL L**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP  
 [LKFN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**1401 E. NORTH SHORE DR**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**11/27/2012**

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

**SYRACUSE, IN 46567**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M	A	\$ 0	139,980	D
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M	A	\$ 0	149,980	D
Common Stock	11/27/2012		S	D	\$ 24.7538	139,980	D
Common Stock						23,716	I 401(k) Plan
Common Stock						600	I As Trustee <sup>(1)</sup>

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.185	11/27/2012		M	10,000	12/09/2008 12/09/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.185	11/27/2012		M	10,000	12/09/2008 12/09/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>					02/01/2014 02/01/2014 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	12,000
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>					02/01/2015 02/01/2015 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	12,000
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>					02/01/2013 02/01/2013 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.05					05/14/2013 05/14/2018	Common Stock	15,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

