Bentley Ronald M Form 4 January 15, 2009

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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bentley Ronald M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(State)

01/14/2009

69 QUAIL RUN

(Street)

ELMIRA, NY 14903

(City)

Common

Stock

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CHEMUNG FINANCIAL CORP [CHMG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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burden hours per

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

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

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

Code (D) (Instr. 8)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price

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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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, | | ate | Amou Unde Secur | itle and bunt of erlying urities tr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | Code V | 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| Bentley Ronald M | *** | | D 11 . 0 GEO | | | | | |
| 69 QUAIL RUN | X | | President & CEO | | | | | |
| ELMIRA, NY 14903 | | | | | | | | |

Signatures

Jane H. Adamy, Power of Attorney dated August 1, 01/15/2009

**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).

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