#### STILWELL JOSEPH

Form 4 April 01, 2019

## 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 \* STILWELL JOSEPH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

KINGSWAY FINANCIAL

SERVICES INC [KFS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title below)

X\_\_ 10% Owner \_ Other (specify

111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR

03/28/2019

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

2.8965

NEW YORK, NY 10006

Stock

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit order Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of		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)
Common Stock							162,500 (1)	D	
Common Stock							903,066	I	See footnote (2)
Common Stock	03/28/2019		P	3,435 (3)	A	\$ 2.8965	445,611	I	See footnote (4)
Common	03/28/2019		P	26,569	A	\$ 2.8965	3,498,882	I	See footnote

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Common Stock	03/28/2019	P	30,000 (3)	A	\$ 2.8965	512,000	I	See footnote (6)
Common Stock	03/29/2019	P	4,275 (3)	A	\$ 3.0942	449,886	I	See footnote (4)
Common Stock	03/29/2019	P	33,062 (3)	A	\$ 3.0942	3,531,944	I	See footnote (5)
Common Stock	03/29/2019	P	38,000 (3)	A	\$ 3.0942	550,000	I	See footnote (6)

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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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumbe	r Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day	/Year)	Underl	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3) Derivat	ive		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securiti	es		(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquire	ed					
					(A) or						
					Dispose	ed					
					of (D)						
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					4, and 5	5)					
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
2	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
STILWELL JOSEPH 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006	X	X				
Stilwell Value LLC 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006		X				

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STILWELL ASSOCIATES L P X 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006 Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P. 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR X NEW YORK, NY 10006 Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P. X 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006 Stilwell Value Partners VII. L.P. 111 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR X NEW YORK, NY 10006

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph Stilwell					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Stilwell Value LLC	04/01/2019				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Stilwell Associates, L.P.	04/01/2019				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P.	04/01/2019				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P.	04/01/2019				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ Pilar Torres as Attorney-in-Fact for Stilwell Value Partners VII, L.P.	04/01/2019				
**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) These are shares owned directly by Joseph Stilwell.
- These are shares owned directly by Stilwell Associates, L.P. ("Associates") and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Stilwell Value LLC ("Value"), which is the general partner of Associates. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - This Form 4 reports the following acquisitions: (a) on March 28, 2019, Stilwell Activist Fund, L.P. ("SAF") acquired 3,435 shares at \$2.8965 USD per share; Stilwell Activist Investments, L.P. ("SAI") acquired 26,569 shares at \$2.8965 USD per share; and Stilwell Value
- (3) Partners VII, L.P. ("SVP VII") acquired 30,000 shares at \$2.8965 USD per share; and (b) on March 29, 2019, SAF acquired 4,275 shares at \$3.0942 USD per share; SAI acquired 33,062 shares at \$3.0942 USD per share; and SVP VII acquired 38,000 shares at \$3.0942 USD per share.

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- These are shares owned directly by SAF and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Value, which is the general partner of SAF. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- These are shares owned directly by SAI and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Value, which is the general partner of SAI. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- These are shares owned directly by SVP VII, and indirectly by Joseph Stilwell in his capacity as the managing member and owner of Value, which is the general partner of SVP VII. Joseph Stilwell disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares reported as owned indirectly except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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