#### **REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP**

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			Symbol  PECIONS FINANCIAL CORP. [PEL				D [DE]	Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP [RF]			(Check all applicable)					
P O BOX 10247			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/13/2005					Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, Cnsmr & Bsns Bnkng-Retail			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year		n Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D) 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)	
Common Stock	04/13/2005			F	1,942	D	\$ 32.765	150,728.044	D		
Common Stock (IRA)								234	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock (IRA)								249	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)

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)	5. Dr.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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Insti
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units (401k)	\$ 0 (1)					<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,458	
Stock Option	\$ 18.17					01/03/1997	01/03/2006	Common Stock	10,734	
Stock Option	\$ 18.17					01/03/1998	01/03/2006	Common Stock	1,612	
Stock Option	\$ 31.39					10/09/1998	10/09/2007	Common Stock	4,876	
Stock Option	\$ 33.48					04/09/1999	04/09/2008	Common Stock	32,408	
Stock Option	\$ 28.88					08/30/2000	08/30/2009	Common Stock	32,408	
Stock Option	\$ 25.66					02/19/2004	02/19/2010	Common Stock	30,865	
Stock Option	\$ 25.66					02/19/2005	02/19/2010	Common Stock	15,433	
Stock Option	\$ 25.66					02/19/2006	02/19/2010	Common Stock	15,432	
Stock Option	\$ 16.28					03/15/2001	03/15/2010	Common Stock	74,076	
Stock Option	\$ 22.6					01/16/2002	01/16/2011	Common Stock	49,384	
Stock Option	\$ 22.6					01/16/2003	01/16/2011	Common Stock	24,692	

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Stock Option	\$ 22.6	01/16/2004	01/16/2011	Common Stock	24,692
Stock Option	\$ 28.17	(2)	04/21/2011	Common Stock	61,730
Stock Option	\$ 33.82	(3)	10/15/2011	Common Stock	62,000
Stock Option	\$ 25.02	01/22/2003	01/22/2012	Common Stock	49,384
Stock Option	\$ 25.02	01/22/2004	01/22/2012	Common Stock	24,692
Stock Option	\$ 25.02	01/22/2005	01/22/2012	Common Stock	24,692

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

ASKEW WILLIAM E P O BOX 10247 BIRMINGHAM, AL 352020247

EVP, Cnsmr & Bsns Bnkng-Retail

Other

## **Signatures**

By: Ronald C.
Jackson

\*\*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) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Regions' benefit plans.
- (2) The option becomes exercisable in three equal installments on April 21, 2005, 2006 and 2007.
- (3) The option becomes exercisable in two equal installments on October 15, 2006 and 2007.

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