#### MALLORY LEWIS F JR

Form 5

Financial

Common Stock

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Employee 401K Plan

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Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	2,853	D	Â
Cadence Financial Corporation Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	100,336	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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)	Number				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 20.75	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/13/2002	06/12/2011	common stock	33,333
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 24.11	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/13/2003	06/12/2012	common stock	33,333
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 25.2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/01/2005	04/30/2014	common stock	33,333

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MALLORY LEWIS F JR

P. O. BOX 1187 X Chairman of the Board and CEO STARKVILLE, MSÂ 39760

**Signatures** 

Lewis F. 02/07/2011 Mallory, Jr.

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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