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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP [FFIC] Hwang Chris (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1979 MARCUS (Check all applicable) **AVENUE, Â SUITE E140** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Senior Vice President Person LAKE SUCCESS, NYÂ 11042 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â D Common Stock 4,000 Common Stock 1,161 (1) I 401(k) 5,387 (2) Common Stock I **PSP** Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security
2. Date Exercisable and S. Title and Amount of Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)
3. Title and Amount of Conversion Ownership Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

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			(Instr. 4)		or Exercise Price of	Form of Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	06/17/2012	Common Stock	900	\$ 12.37	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	06/16/2013	Common Stock	900	\$ 13.47	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(5)	06/14/2014	Common Stock	1,100	\$ 16.77	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(6)	06/20/2015	Common Stock	1,100	\$ 17.88	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(7)	06/19/2016	Common Stock	2,200	\$ 16.44	D	Â
Phantom Stock Units	(8)	(8)	Common Stock	362 <u>(9)</u>	\$ (10)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hwang Chris						
1979 MARCUS AVENUE	$\hat{\mathbf{\Delta}}$	Â	Senior Vice President	$\hat{\mathbf{\Delta}}$		
SUITE E140	7.1	2 1	71 Semor Vice President	11		
LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042						

Signatures

Signed by Russell A. Fleishman under Power of Attorney by Chris Hwang

01/03/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Shares held in FSB 401(k) Savings Plan a/o 12/29/06.
- (2) Shares held in FFC Stock-Based Profit Sharing Plan a/o 9/29/06.
- Options as adjusted for stock splits covered 4,500 shares and became exercisable in five equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (4) Options as adjusted for stock splits covered 2,250 options and became exercisable in five equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (5) All options became exercisable 12/21/04.
- (6) All options became exercisable 12/21/05.

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- (7) Options become exercsiable in five equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (8) Includes amounts credited to Mr. Hwang's account through 9/29/06. The vested portion of the account balance is paid in a cash lump sum or in installments as elected by the reporting officer commencing upon termination (subject to IRS 409A regulations).
- (9) Phantom Stock Units a/o 9/29/06.
- **(10)** 1:1

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