Weichsel W Jeffrey Form 4 June 23, 2009

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Weichsel W Jeffrey			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP [FFIC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Veer)	Director 10% Owner Nficer (give title Other (specify			
1979 MARCUS AVENUE, SUITE			(Month/Day/Year) 06/19/2009	below) below) Senior Vice President			
E140							
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	Perivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/19/2009	06/19/2009	F	225 (1)	D	\$ 10.37	13,516	D	
Common Stock	06/20/2009	06/20/2009	F	113 (1)	D	\$ 10.78	13,403	D	
Common Stock	06/21/2009	06/21/2009	F	68 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 10.78	13,335	D	
Common Stock							7,679 (2)	I	401(k)

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

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 1 9 (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	481	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weichsel W Jeffrey 1979 MARCUS AVENUE SUITE E140 LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Signed by Russell A. Fleishman Under Power of Attorney by William J. Weichsel

06/23/2009

**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).
- (1) Shares withheld to satisfy tax liability upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (2) Shares held in the FSB 401(k) savings plan a/o 6/16/2009.
- **(3)** 1:1
- **(4)**

Reporting Owners 2

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Includes amounts credited to Mr. Weichsel's account through 6/19/2009. The vested amount balance will be paid in a cash lump sum or in installments as elected by the reporting officer upon termination of employment (in accordance with IRS 409A).

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