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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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| •                       | ng Person *               | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>TFS Financial CORP [TFSL] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  |  |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) |                           | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction   | (Check all applicable)  |  |  |
| WAY AVE                 | NUE                       | (Month/Day/Year)<br>08/11/2012  | _X_ Director 10% Owner Selfow Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP and Secretary   |  |  |
| (Street)                |                           | 4. If Amendment, Date Original  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check   |  |  |
| , OH 44105              |                           | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |  |  |
|                         | (First) WAY AVEN (Street) | (First) (Middle)  WAY AVENUE  (Street)                                      | Symbol TFS Financial CORP [TFSL]  (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  WAY AVENUE 08/11/2012  (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  OH 44105 |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | Zip) Table  | e I - Non-D     | erivative S                                     | ecurit                         | ies Acc   | quired, Disposed   | of, or Beneficial  | lly Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-----------------|---|--------------------------------|-----------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit<br>on(A) or Dis<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, | sposed<br>4 and 5<br>(A)<br>or | of<br>5)  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 08/11/2012                              |   | Code V M        | Amount 10,000                                   | (D)                            | Price (1) | 10,000   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |                 |   |                                |           | 25,000   | I  | By IRA  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |                 |   |                                |           | 60,000   | I  | By<br>Spouse's<br>Trust   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |                 |   |                                |           | 55,000 (2)   | I  | By Trust  |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 1 '     | Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                     | 8<br>I<br>S<br>( |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---------|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D) | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |                  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (3)   | 08/11/2012                              |   | M                                     | 10,000  | (1)  | (1)                | Common<br>Stock   | 10,000                              |                  |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |                   |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |  |  |  |
| Kobak Bernard S<br>7007 BROADWAY AVENUE<br>CLEVELAND, OH 44105 | X             |           | EVP and Secretary |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

/s/ Paul J. Huml, Pursuant to Power of Attorney 08/15/2012

\*\*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).
- As reported on a Form 4 filed August 13, 2008, the reporting person received a grant of 50,000 Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") on (1) August 11, 2008. On each annual vesting date, beginning on August 11, 2009 and ending August 11, 2013, 20% of the RSUs will vest which will result in the issuance of 10,000 shares of TFS Financial Corporation common stock to the reporting person.
- (2) 10,000 shares, which were individually and directly owned by the reporting person, were contributed to the reporting person's trust on September 7, 2011, in which he is the trustee.
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of TFS Financial Corporation common stock. Restricted stock (3) units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights in the form of a cash payment in the amount of any cash dividend paid per share of common stock.

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