

DINKINS MICHAEL

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 DINKINS MICHAEL

 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 LANDAMERICA FINANCIAL GROUP INC [LFG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

16433 VALHALLA DRIVE

(Street)

NOBLESVILLE, IN 46060

(City) (State) (Zip)

 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/01/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

 ___X___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 ___X___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)								
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title			
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	01/01/2005	J <u>(1)</u>		233.6362		08/08/1988 <u>(1)</u>	08/08/1988 <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock			2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships			
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DINKINS MICHAEL 16433 VALHALLA DRIVE NOBLESVILLE, IN 46060		X			
Signatures					
By: Wm. Chadwick Perrine For: Michael Dinkins		01/04/2005			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date			

Signatures

By: Wm. Chadwick Perrine For: Michael
Dinkins 01/04/2005

**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 deferred stock units acquired on the first of the month are the total result of compensation payable for board of directors and committee meeting(s) attendance in the prior month in the form of stock, also as a result of an outside director's quarterly retainer fee payable on the first day of the quarter in the form of stock, all based on the closing price of the issuer's stock on the first day of the current month. There is no conversion or exercise price of derivative security (Box 2), or no exercisable or expiration date (Box 6) for this transaction.

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