#### LEUCK RICHARD C

Form 4

August 23, 2012

## FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Ad<br>LEUCK RIC            | *        | ting Person * | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL<br>SERVICES CORP [EFSC] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer  (Check all applicable)   |  |  |
|--|----------|---------------|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 150 N. MERAMEC |          | (Middle)      | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2012   | Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer   |  |  |
|  | (Street) |               | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |  |
| ST. LOUIS, N                           | MO 63105 |               |   | Person  |  |  |

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|--------------------------------------|--|------------|---|-------------|------------------|------------|--|--|---|
| (City)                               | (State) (Z   | Zip) Table | I - Non-De  | erivative S | Securi           | ties Acq   | uired, Disposed o                              | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) |            | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |             |                  | d of       | Securities<br>Beneficially                     | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|                                      |  |            | Code V  | Amount      | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price      | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 08/21/2012   |            | M   | 8,000       | A                | \$ 10      | 8,861  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 08/21/2012   |            | S   | 6,240       | D                | \$<br>12.4 | 2,621  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |  |            |   |             |                  |            | 42,149   | I  | By Trust  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |  |            |   |             |                  |            | 7,000  | I  | Self Ira  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |  |            |   |             |                  |            | 10,500   | I  | Spouse<br>Trust                                       |

Common Stock

18,664

D (1)

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>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Secur<br>Acqui<br>(A) or | rivative ities ired rosed of . 3, 4, | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amou<br>Underlying Securi<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                          |
|---|---|---|---|--|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------|--|--------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A)                      | (D)                                  | Date Exercisable   | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amo<br>or<br>Nur<br>of S |
| Incentive<br>Stock Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)      | \$ 10   | 08/21/2012                              |   | M                                      |                          | 8,000                                | 08/28/2002   | 08/28/2012         | Common<br>Stock  | 8,0                      |
| Incentive<br>Stock Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)      | \$ 13.4   |   |   |  |                          |                                      | 05/13/2003   | 05/13/2013         | Common<br>Stock  | 12,                      |
| Restricted<br>Share Units                           | (2)   |   |   |  |                          |                                      | (3)  | (3)                | Common<br>Stock  | 9,:                      |
| Stock Settled<br>Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Rights    | \$ 20.63  |   |   |  |                          |                                      | 12/15/2008(4)  | 06/13/2018         | Common<br>Stock  | 5,0                      |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                           | Relationships |           |                         |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address                           | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |  |  |  |
| LEUCK RICHARD C<br>150 N. MERAMEC<br>ST. LOUIS, MO 63105 |               |           | Chief Operating Officer |       |  |  |  |

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### **Signatures**

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

#### **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) These shares are held jointly with spouse.
- (2) The RSUs were granted pursuant to the Company's 2002 Stock Incentive Plan. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of Common Stock, subject to adjustment as provided in the Grant Agreement.
- The RSUs vest at a rate of 20% annually over five years, subject to continued employment of the reporting person. Vesting occurs on (3) December 15 of each year, commencing in the calendar year of the grant. On each vesting date, for each RSU vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of Common Stock.
- Each SSAR consists of the right to receive an amount, in common stock, equal to the excess of the fair market value of a share of common stock on the date of exercise over the exercise price of the SSAR. The SSARs vest at a rate of 20% annually over five years, subject to continued employment of the reporting person. Vesting occurs on December 15 of each year, commencing December 15, 2008.

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