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FORM 4

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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 Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Love Lisa Anne Issuer Symbol CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable) [CINF] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD 03/01/2018 Sr VP, Gen. Counsel, Corp Sec (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting FAIRFIELD, OH 45014 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M	4,367	A	\$0	27,460.152	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M	149	A	\$ 0	27,609.152	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M	262	A	\$ 0	27,871.152	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2018		M	594	A	\$ 0	28,465.152	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2018		F	1,604	D	\$ 74.18	26,861.152	D	

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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 (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)	e Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/01/2018		M		4,367	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	4,367	S
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/01/2018		M		149	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	149	S
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/01/2018		M		262	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	262	Š
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/01/2018		M		594	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	594	9
Phantom Stock Shares	\$ 0						(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	9,072	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sr VP, Gen. Counsel, Corp Sec

2 Reporting Owners

Love Lisa Anne 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD FAIRFIELD, OH 45014

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/s/ Lisa Anne Love

03/05/2018

**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 restricted stock units became payable March 1, 2018. The performance goals were met at the target level.
- (2) The restricted stock units vested March 1, 2018, as set forth in the grant agreement providing for ratable vesting over a three year service period ending March 1, 2018.
- (3) The restricted stock units vested March 1, 2018, as set forth in the grant agreement providing for ratable vesting over a three year service period ending March 1, 2019.
- (4) The restricted stock units vested March 1, 2018, as set forth in the grant agreement providing for ratable vesting over a three year service period ending March 1, 2020.
- The reported phantom stock shares were acquired under the company's Top Hat Savings Plan, an "Excess Benefits Plan" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3(b)(2), and are to be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service. The reporting person may transfer the value of his phantom stock shares into an alternative investment selection within the plan. The insider has also elected that future bi-weekly contributions in the Top Hat Savings Plan be invested in the Cincinnati Financial Stock Plan.

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