

FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
BRAUN HENRY A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP  
[FFIC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

1979 MARCUS AVENUE, SUITE E140

04/26/2006

Senior Vice President

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (A) or (D) Price   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | M                              |   | 22,500<br>(1)   | A  | \$ 6.86 74,195 D                                      |
| Common Stock                    | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | S                              |   | 2,700   | D  | \$ 16.77 71,495 D                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | S                              |   | 900   | D  | \$ 16.78 70,595 D                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | S                              |   | 5,200   | D  | \$ 16.81 65,395 D                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | S                              |   | 278   | D  | \$ 16.82 65,117 D                                     |

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|              |            |            |   |       |   |          |                       |   |        |
|--------------|------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|-----------------------|---|--------|
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 5,000 | D | \$ 16.92 | 60,117                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 500   | D | \$ 16.93 | 59,617                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 2,200 | D | \$ 16.94 | 57,417                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 600   | D | \$ 16.96 | 56,817                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 100   | D | \$ 16.97 | 56,717                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 300   | D | \$ 16.98 | 56,417                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 362   | D | \$ 16.99 | 56,055                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 2,100 | D | \$ 17    | 53,955                | D |        |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2006 | 04/26/2006 | S | 2,260 | D | \$ 17.01 | 51,695                | D |        |
| Common Stock |            |            |   |       |   |          | 3,801 <sup>(2)</sup>  | I | 401(k) |
| Common Stock |            |            |   |       |   |          | 15,603 <sup>(3)</sup> | I | PSP    |

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 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |              |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock                             | \$ 6.86  | 04/26/2006                           | 04/26/2006   | M                              | 22,500  | <sup>(1)</sup>   | 06/28/2009  | Common Stock | 22,500                     |

Option  
 Exercise  
 (Right to  
 Buy)

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                             |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |
| BRAUN HENRY A<br>1979 MARCUS AVENUE, SUITE E140<br>LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042 |               |           | Senior<br>Vice<br>President |       |

## Signatures

Signed by Russell A. Fleishman under Power of Attorney by Henry A.  
 Braun

04/27/2006

\_\_\_\_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) Exercise of options granted 6/29/99. Options became exercisable in five equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Shares held in FSB 401(k) Savings Plan a/o 3/31/06.
- (3) Shares held in FFC Stock-Based Profit Sharing Plan a/o 3/31/06.

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