TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

October 12, 2016

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(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

WEBER ALFRED J

TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

[TMP]

Symbol

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/07/2016

C/O TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, P O BOX 460

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

ITHACA, NY 14851

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

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X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City)

(State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day	(Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	10/07/2016		A	72.249	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	72.249	\$ 7

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WEBER ALFRED J
C/O TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION PO BOX 460
ITHACA, NY 14851

Signatures

/s/ Alfred J. 10/12/2016 Weber

**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).
 - Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock. Phantom stock represents deferred stock
- (1) compensation under the Amended and Restated Retainer Plan for Eligible Directors of Tompkins Financial Corporation and its Wholly-Owned Subsidiaries. These shares are held in a rabbi trust pending distribution upon the occurrence of certain events specified in the Plan. The reporting person has no voting or investment power over the shares prior to such distribution.
- (2) Includes shares acquired through reinvestment of quarterly dividends.

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