TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions

Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer McKenna John M Symbol TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable) [TMP] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner _ Officer (give title X Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2015 EVP, Tompkins Bank of Castile P.O. BOX 460 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) ITHACA, NYÂ 14851 _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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) od of (E) 4 and (A) or	D) . 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	6,790.89	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	642.45 (1)	I	by 401(K) ESOP
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	99.22 (1)	I	by 401(K) ISOP

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. Numl of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D (Instr 4, and	ative rities red resed)	Exp (Mo	Oate Exercoiration Day/		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Securities
					(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e ercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Rights (SAR)	\$ 41.71	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	09/17/2019	Common Stock	1,760
Stock Appreciation Rights (SAR)	\$ 37	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	08/19/2021	Common Stock	1,300
Stock Appreciation Rights (SAR)	\$ 40.6	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	05/03/2023	Common Stock	1,095
Stock Appreciation Rights (SAR)	\$ 49.22	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	11/21/2024	Common Stock	3,475
Stock Appreciation Rights (SAR)	\$ 56.29	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	11/04/2025	Common Stock	2,235

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
McKenna John M P.O. BOX 460 ITHACA, NY 14851	Â	Â	EVP, Tompkins Bank of Castile	Â				

Signatures

/s/ John M. McKenna	01/25/2016			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

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- * 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) Includes shares acquired through profit sharing or 401K contributions.
- Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs) were granted pursuant to the Tompkins Financial Corporation 2009 Equity Plan. SARs have a seven (2) year vesting schedule with 0% vesting in year one, 17% vesting in years two through six, and 15% vesting in year seven. When exercised
- (2) year vesting schedule with 0% vesting in year one, 17% vesting in years two through six, and 15% vesting in year seven. When exercised, the SARs will be settled in Common Stock of the Company. The grant will expire ten years from the date of the grant.

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