**Discover Financial Services** Form 4

January 06, 2015

# FORM 4

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

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Cunningham Steven E

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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(Check all applicable)

2500 LAKE COOK ROAD

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

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

01/02/2015

SVP & Chief Risk Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

RIVERWOODS, IL 60015

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tab</b> l	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Fransaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/02/2015		Code V A	Amount 11,582 (1)	A	\$ 0	58,912	D	
Common Stock	01/02/2015		F	9,759 (2)	D	\$ 65.36	49,153	D	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Cunningham Steven E 2500 LAKE COOK ROAD RIVERWOODS, IL 60015

SVP & Chief Risk Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher Greene as Attorney-in-Fact for Steven E. Cunningham

01/06/2015

\*\*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).
- Shares earned upon vesting of non-derivative performance stock units, which are exempt from liability under Section 16(b) of the **(1)** Securities Exchange Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d). Performance stock units are convertible into shares of common stock at a ratio of 1:1.
- Number of shares withheld to pay the tax withholding obligation incurred in connection with the vesting of previously granted restricted **(2)** stock units and performance stock units.

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