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See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

KISSEL FRANK A Issuer Symbol PEAPACK GLADSTONE (Check all applicable) FINANCIAL CORP [PGC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) PO BOX 178 01/03/2007 **CEO** (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 GLADSTONE, NJ 07934 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 56,957 D Stock **Profit** Common 8,669.9958 (4) I Sharing Stock Plan Common 3,348 I Spouse Stock

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | Secur Acqu (A) o | rivative ities ired rosed of . 3, 4, | 6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y | te | 7. Title and 2. Underlying 3 (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee stock option | \$ 11.85 | | | | | | (3) | 08/14/2007 | Common stock | 12,491 |
| Employee stock option | \$ 18.28 | | | | | | <u>(1)</u> | 02/19/2009 | Common stock | 29,347 |
| Employee stock options | \$ 16.86 | | | | | | (2) | 01/11/2011 | Common stock | 5,324 |
| Employee stock options | \$ 28.89 | | | | | | 01/09/2004 | 01/09/2014 | Common stock | 27,499 |
| Stock options (right to buy) | \$ 28.1 | 01/03/2007 | | A | 5,00 | 0 | <u>(5)</u> | 01/03/2017 | Common Stock | 5,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| KISSEL FRANK A | | | | | | |
| PO BOX 178 | X | | CEO | | | |
| GLADSTONE, NJ 07934 | | | | | | |

Signatures

| Frank A. Kissel | 02/05/2007 | | | |
|------------------|------------|--|--|--|
| **Signature of | Date | | | |
| Reporting Person | | | | |

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- The options were exercisable in five equal annual installments on February 19, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004. On December 11, 2003,
- (1) the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation authorized the accelerated vesting of the remaining options.
 - The options were exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 11, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006. On December 11, 2003,
- (2) the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation authorized the accelerated vesting of the remaining options.
- (3) The options were exercisable in five equal annual installments on August 14, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002.
- (4) Previously reported as directly owned.
- (5) The options are exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 3, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.
- (6) Option grant has no purchase or sale price.

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