

ARROW 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 *
VAN LEEUWEN JOHN C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARROW FINANCIAL CORP
[AROW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/22/2008

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

ARROW FINANCIAL CORPORATION, 250 GLEN STREET

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GLENS FALLS, NY 12801

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/22/2008 | | M | A \$ 2,300 12.92 | 8,869 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/22/2008 | | F | D \$ 1,661 (2) 24.05 | 7,208 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/22/2008 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | A \$ 0 | 14,441 | I | ESOP |

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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 12.92 | 12/15/1999 | | M | 2,300 | 12/15/2003 12/15/2009 | Common Stock 4,655 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| VAN LEEUWEN JOHN C ARROW FINANCIAL CORPORATION 250 GLEN STREET GLENS FALLS, NY 12801 | | | Senior Vice President | |

Signatures

Gerard R. Bilodeau, Attorney
in Fact 04/23/2008
 **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) Amount of securities beneficially owned.
- (2) Includes 1) 1,235 shares surrendered by the reporting person to issuer to pay the exercise price of the derivative security and 2) 426 shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy withholding tax liabilities related to the exercise.
- (3) Exercise of derivative security.

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