#### IMHOFF WALTER F

Form 4

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **IMHOFF WALTER F** 

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP [SF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

10432 EAST IDA PLACE

(Month/Day/Year)

11/23/2005

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

below) HANIFIN PRESIDENT

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**GREENWOOD** VILLAGE, CO 80111-

> (City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactionr Disposed of (D)				Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			C-1- V	A	or	D	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/23/2005		M	10,667	A	\$ 7.7813	58,833	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivation any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired or Disposition (D)		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 7.7813	11/23/2005		M	10,667	<u>(1)</u>	01/12/2010	Common Stock	10,667

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

IMHOFF WALTER F 10432 EAST IDA PLACE GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111-

X HANIFIN PRESIDENT

## **Signatures**

By: Forrest M. Smith For: Walter F.
Imhoff

11/23/2005

\*\*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) Currently exercisable.

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