HARDIE JAMES R

Form 5

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Form 4 Transactions Reported

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer HARDIE JAMES R Symbol TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable) [TMP] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2009 TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, Â 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

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(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-Deriv	ative Secu	ırities	Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D)	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 Drip	12/31/2009	Â	L	28	A	\$ <u>(1)</u>	1,231	I	By Rabbi Trust
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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 Exerci- Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Securities
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
7% Convertible Trust	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/15/2019	03/31/2039	Common Stock	18,137

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HARDIE JAMES R
TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION
P O BOX 460
ITHACA, NYÂ 14851

Signatures

Preferred

/s/ James R. 02/10/2010

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Shares acquired through reinvestment of quarterly cash dividends.

The Trust Preferred Securities were issued by Tompkins Capital Trust I, all of the common securities of which are owned by Tompkins Financial Corporation (TMP). The Trust Preferred Securities are convertible, at any time on or after April 15, 2019, into TMP Common Stock at a price of \$41.35 per share or, if higher, the average of the closing prices of TMP Common Stock on the trading days in the calendar quarter preceding the date of conversion. The amount set out in Item #7 above uses the \$41.35 conversion price.

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