ROE JOHN E SR Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **ROE JOHN E SR** Issuer Symbol FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable) [FFIC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) 1979 MARCUS AVENUE,, SUITE 01/30/2010 E140 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

| (City) | (State) (Z | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|------------|--|--|------------------|------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Seneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Common | 01/30/2010 | 01/30/2010 | Code V | Amount 3,600 | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 94,174 | D | |
| Stock Common Stock | | | | | | | 15,225 | I | Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 8,000 | I | see footnote (2) |

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| 1. Title of Derivative | 2. | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. | 5. onNumber | 6. Date Exerc | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
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| Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Tear) | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of | | | Under | rlying | Security (Instr. 5) | Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Ketationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

ROE JOHN E SR 1979 MARCUS AVENUE,, SUITE E140 X LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

Signatures

Signed by Russell A. Fleishman Under Power of Attorney by John E. Roe, Sr. 02/02/2010

**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) Grant of restricted stock units payable in common stock upon vesting.
- (2) Shares held in City Underwriting Employee Profit Sharing Plan by John E. Roe, Sr., Trustee.

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