### CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **KELLINGTON JOHN S** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP

(Check all applicable)

[CINF]

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Month/Day/Year) 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD

02/13/2015

Sr. VP, Chief Info Officer-Sub

Applicable Line)

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

> \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

FAIRFIELD, OH 45014

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

> 25,808 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisab<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year |                    | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A | Securities                            |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                  | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                       | Amoun<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 52.25  | 02/13/2015                           |   | A                                       | 4,543   | 02/13/2016(1)   | 02/13/2025         | Common<br>Stock                             | 4,543                                 |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | \$ 0  | 02/13/2015                           |   | A                                       | 9,086   | <u>(2)</u>  | <u>(2)</u>         | Common<br>Stock                             | 9,086                                 |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | \$ 0  | 02/13/2015                           |   | A                                       | 466   | (3)   | <u>(3)</u>         | Common<br>Stock                             | 466                                   |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address |               |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KELLINGTON JOHN S 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD FAIRFIELD, OH 45014

Sr. VP, Chief Info Officer-Sub

# **Signatures**

/s/ John S 02/15/2015 Kellington

\*\*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) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- The restricted stock units vest March 1, 2018, as set forth in the grant agreement, if performance goals are met. The number of restricted stock units shown is the maximum number of such units that may vest.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three annual installments on March 1, as set forth in the grant agreement, if service requirements are met. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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