SEC Form 4

Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Pers BALLOU ROGER H | | Person* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BREAD FINANCIAL HOLDINGS, INC.</u> [BFH] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (check title Others (check title |
|---|---------------------|----------|---|---|
| (Last) 3095 LOYALT | (First) Y CIRCLE | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/17/2024 | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) |
| (Street) COLUMBUS OH | | 43219 | 4. If Amendment, Date of 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 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant t Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant t Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant t | |

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. Transa Code (8) | ction | 4. Securities Disposed Of 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | Form: Direct | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|---------------|-------|---|--------------|---|
| | | | Code V | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (mou: 4) |
| Common Stock | 06/17/2024 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 3,473 | Α | (1) | 38,315(2) | D | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of Exp | | 6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|---|-------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The new grant is for 3,473 shares of common stock represented by restricted stock units, which will vest on June 17, 2025.

2. The total amount of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 18,137 unrestricted shares; (b) 568 unvested restricted stock units granted 7/1/14; (c) 486 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/29/15; (d) 699 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/27/16; (e) 655 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/26/17; (f) 761 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/25/18; (g) 1,114 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/24/19; (h) 3,432 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/22/20; (i) 1,408 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/15/21; (j) 2,650 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/15/22; (k) 4,932 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/15/23; and (l) the new grant for 3,473 restricted stock units.

Remarks:

Benjamin L. Morgan, Attorney in Fact

06/20/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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