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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ROE JOHN E SR

Symbol

FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP

[FFIC]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

1979 MARCUS AVENUE,, SUITE

(Street)

04/21/2006

below)

E140

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check 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

LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, 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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/21/2006	04/21/2006	S	400	D	\$ 17.27	89,662	D	
Common Stock	04/21/2006	04/21/2006	S	9,498	D	\$ 17.25	80,164	D	
Common Stock	04/21/2006	04/21/2006	S	102	D	\$ 17.2	80,062	D	
Common Stock							15,225	I	Spouse
Common Stock							15,525	I	See Footnote

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9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Insti

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amount Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	t of ring es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	' (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Number	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

Signatures

Signed by Ruseell A. Fleishman under Power of Attorney by John E. Roe, Sr.

04/24/2006

**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) Shares held in City Underwriting Agency Defined Benefit Profit Sharing Plan by John E. Roe, Sr., Trustee.

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