

Murphy Lauren L
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Murphy Lauren L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 803 MAIN STREET
 (Street)

WILLIMANTIC, CT 06226

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SI Financial Group, Inc. [SIFI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 09/23/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/23/2017		F	1,164 D \$ 15.05	17,708 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock					2,505	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock					22	I	By Custodian for Daughter
Common Stock					22	I	By Custodian for Son

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Common Stock	6,999	I	By ESOP
Common Stock	0 ⁽¹⁾	I	By Stock Award III

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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Stock Options	\$ 5.68					02/24/2011	02/24/2020	Common Stock	4,490 <u>(2)</u>
Stock Options	\$ 9.4					02/16/2012	02/16/2021	Common Stock	2,500 <u>(2)</u>
Stock Options	\$ 11.2					03/21/2013	03/21/2022	Common Stock	1,000 <u>(2)</u>
Stock Options	\$ 11.01					10/24/2013	10/24/2022	Common Stock	20,000 <u>(3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Murphy Lauren L 803 MAIN STREET WILLIMANTIC, CT 06226			SVP and CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Scott Brown, pursuant to Power of
Attorney

09/27/2017

__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) Since the reporting person's last report, 3,333 shares previously held by Stock Award III have vested and are now owned directly.
- (2) Stock Options are fully vested and exercisable.
- (3) Stock Options granted pursuant to the SI Financial Group, Inc. 2012 Equity Incentive Plan vest in five equal annual installments commencing on October 24, 2013.

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