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December 2	0, 2011									
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(Print or Type	Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Laethem Michael			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP [(CHFC)]				(Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1034 GLENWOOD DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2011			X Director Officer (giv below)		6 Owner er (specify		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
CARO, MI	48723						Form filed by Person	More than One Ro	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D)	Securities Beneficially	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)			
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Se

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	ivative		(Instr. 8	D (I	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(I)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/16/2011		А	4	31.594		<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Stock	431.594

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Laethem Michael 1034 GLENWOOD DRIVE CARO, MI 48723	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Lori A. Gwizdala, His Attorney-in-Fact		12/1	9/2011				
<b>**</b> Signature of Reporting Person		Γ	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).

Award of stock units representing board and committee fees and dividend equivalents pursuant to Chemical Financial Corporation
 Directors' Deferred Stock Plan. Shares of common stock are issuable on a one-for-one basis in either a lump sum or installments after termination of service as a director or upon a change in control of the Company.

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