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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement CITIZENS FINANCIAL GROUP INC/RI [CFG] Woods Stephen R. (Month/Day/Year) 01/13/2015 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O CITIZENS FINANCIAL (Check all applicable) GROUP, INC., 600 WASHINGTON BLVD. Director 10% Owner Officer \_X\_ Other (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) Interim Co-head of Commerical \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person STAMFORD. CTÂ 06901 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 42,439 (1) D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Expiration Title Amount or Security Direct (D)

Exercisable Date Number of or Indirect

Shares (I)

(Instr. 5)

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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Woods Stephen R. C/O CITIZENS FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. 600 WASHINGTON BLVD. STAMFORD, CT 06901	Â	Â	Â	Interim Co-head of Commerical	

# **Signatures**

/s/ Lindsey Cameron, as Attorney-in-Fact 01/13/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

Includes 20,055 deferred share awards that are scheduled to vest in March 2015, March 2016 and March 2017 and 20,379 restricted stock (1) units that are subject to vest in equal installments in March 2016 and March 2017, each of which will be settled in shares of common stock following vesting.

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