MICROFINANCIAL INC Form SC TO-T/A January 22, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 |
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| SCHEDULE TO |
| (Rule 14d-100) |
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| TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d)(1) |
| OR SECTION 13(e)(1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 |
| (Amendment No. 4) |

MICROFINANCIAL INCORPORATED

(Names of Subject Company (Issuer))

MF MERGER SUB CORP.

(Name of Filing Persons (Offeror)) a wholly owned subsidiary of

MF PARENT LP

(Name of Filing Persons (Parent of Offeror))

MF INVESTOR GP LLC FORTRESS CREDIT ADVISORS LLC

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| (Names of Filing Persons (Other Person)) |
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| COMMON STOCK, \$0.01 PAR VALUE PER SHARE |
| (Title of Class of Securities) |
| 595072109 |
| (CUSIP Number of Class of Securities) |
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| MF Merger Sub Corp. |
| c/o Fortress Investment Group |
| 1345 Avenue of the Americas |
| 46th Floor |
| New York, New York 10105 |
| Attention: Constantine M. Dakolias |
| Telephone: (212) 798-6100 |
| (Name, address and telephone number of person authorized to receive notices and communications on behalf of filing persons) |
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With a copy to:

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| CALCULATION OF FILING FEE | | | | |
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| Transaction \$151,880, | | | Amount of Filing Fee** \$17,649 | |
| common stock, par value \$0.01 per share share, (ii) 115,011 Shares subject to outst time the offer is completed, multiplied by price of \$10.20 per share less the weighte to restricted stock units) to be issued to d of \$10.20 per share. The calculation of the | (the Shares), of Manding restricted stood the offer price of \$1 d average exercise pricetors and certain me filing fee is based of | dicroFinancial Incorporate ck units, which reflects the 0.20 per share, (iii) 433,02 rice for such options of \$3, nembers of management of on information provided by | duation was calculated by adding the sum of (i) 14,470,442 shares of d (MicroFinancial) outstanding multiplied by the offer price of \$10.20 per maximum number of restricted stock units that may be outstanding at the 8 Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding options multiplied by the offer 723 per share and (iv) 14,606 Shares (including Shares issuable pursuant MicroFinancial following January 12, 2015, multiplied by the offer price MicroFinancial as of January 12, 2015 (with respect to the number of th respect to the exercise price of such options). | |
| ** The filing fee was calculated in Fiscal Year 2015, issued August 29, 2014 | | | s Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Fee Rate Advisory No. 1 for 0.0001162. | |
| x Check the box if any part of the Identify the previous filing by registration | - | • | identify the filing with which the offsetting fee was previously paid. Identify the filing with which the offsetting fee was previously paid. | |
| Amount Previously Paid: Form or Registration No.: | \$17,649 Schedule TO | Filing Party: Date Filed: | MF Merger Sub Corp. December 19, 2014 | |
| o Check the box if the filing rela | tes solely to prelimina | ary communications made | before the commencement of a tender offer. | |
| Check the appropriate boxes below to de- | signate any transactio | ons to which the statement | relates: | |
| x third-party tender offer subject to Rul | e 14d-1. | | | |
| o issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13 | e-4. | | | |
| o going-private transaction subject to I | Rule 13e-3. | | | |
| o amendment to Schedule 13D under F | Rule 13d-2. | | | |
| Check the following box if the filing is a | final amendment rep | orting the results of the ten | der offer: x | |

This Amendment No. 4 (this *Amendment**) amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed by MF Merger Sub Corp., a Massachusetts corporation (the *Offeror**), MF Parent LP, a Delaware limited partnership (*Parent**), MF Investor GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and Fortress Credit Advisors LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and an affiliate of Fortress Investment Group LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (*FIG**), with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2014 (as amended and together with any subsequent amendments and supplements thereto, the *Schedule TO**). The Schedule TO relates to the offer by the Offeror for all of the outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the *Common Stock** or the *Shares**) of MicroFinancial Incorporated (the *Company**) at a price of \$10.20 per share net to the seller in cash without interest and less any applicable withholding taxes upon the terms and conditions set forth in the offer to purchase dated December 19, 2014 (the *Offer to Purchase**), a copy of which was filed with the Schedule TO as Exhibit (a)(1)(A), and in the related letter of transmittal (the *Letter of Transmittal**) which, together with any amendments or supplements, collectively constitute the *Offer**.

The information in the Offer to Purchase and the related Letter of Transmittal, including all schedules thereto, is incorporated herein by reference to all of the applicable items in the Schedule TO, except that such information is hereby amended and supplemented to the extent specifically provided herein. Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined in this Amendment shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Schedule TO and the Offer to Purchase.

This Amendment is being filed to amend and supplement Items 1, 4, 8 and 11 as reflected below.

ITEMS 1, 4, 8 and 11.

Items 1, 4, 8 and 11 of the Schedule TO are hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following text thereto:

The Offer expired, as scheduled, at 5:00 p.m., Eastern time, on Wednesday, January 21, 2015. The Depositary has advised the Offeror that, as of the expiration time of the Offer, a total of 12,687,228 Shares (excluding 73,585 Shares subject to notices of guaranteed delivery) were validly tendered to the Offeror and not validly withdrawn in the Offer, which represent approximately 84.3% of all issued and outstanding Shares on a fully-diluted basis. Therefore, the Minimum Condition has been satisfied. As all of the other Offer Conditions were satisfied, the Offeror has accepted for purchase all Shares that were validly tendered (other than shares tendered by guaranteed delivery where actual delivery has not occurred) and not validly withdrawn prior to the Expiration Date. Payment for such Shares will be made promptly, in accordance with the terms of the Offer.

Following the expiration of the Offer, the Offeror exercised the Top-Up Option to purchase directly from the Company, at the Offer Price, the Top-Up Shares. Following consummation of the Top-Up Option, Parent and the Offeror expect to effect the Short-Form Merger in accordance with the Merger Agreement and the MBCA, without prior notice to, or any approval or action by, the Company Board or any other shareholder of the Company (other than the Offeror). As a result of the Merger, the Offeror will be merged with and into the Company, with the Company surviving the Merger as a direct, wholly owned subsidiary of Parent.

At the Effective Time, each outstanding Share (other than Shares owned by (i) Parent, the Offeror, the Company or any of their respective wholly-owned subsidiaries and (ii) any shareholders of the Company who properly exercise their appraisal rights, if applicable) will be cancelled and converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration.

SIGNATURES

After due inquiry and to the best of their knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: January 22, 2015

MF Merger Sub Corp.

By: /s/ David E. King

Name: David E. King Title: *Director*

MF Parent LP

By: MF Investor GP LLC

By: /s/ David E. King

Name: David E. King Title: *Director*

MF Investor GP LLC

By: /s/ David E. King

Name: David E. King Title: *Director*

Fortress Credit Advisors LLC

By: /s/ Constantine M. Dakolias

Name: Constantine M. Dakolias

Title: President

EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| (a)(1)(A) | Offer to Purchase, dated December 19, 2014.* |
| (a)(1)(B) | Letter of Transmittal.* |
| (a)(1)(C) | Notice of Guaranteed Delivery.* |
| (a)(1)(D) | Letter from the Information Agent to Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees.* |
| (a)(1)(E) | Letter to Clients for Use by Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees.* |
| (a)(1)(F) | Press Release issued by the Company on December 15, 2014 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 16, 2014).* |
| (a)(1)(G) | Summary Advertisement to be published in the New York Times and dated December 19, 2014.* |
| (a)(1)(H) | Press Release issued by the Company on January 2, 2015 regarding the declaration of the quarterly cash dividend.* |
| (a)(5)(A) | Complaint filed by Michael Zumbluskas, on behalf of himself and others similarly situated, on December 23, 2014, in the Superior Court of Suffolk County, Massachusetts.* |
| (a)(5)(B) | Complaint filed by Andrew James Dehn, on behalf of himself and others similarly situated, on December 24, 2014, in the Superior Court of Suffolk County, Massachusetts.* |
| (a)(5)(C) | Memorandum of Understanding dated as of January 8, 2015 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit (a)(13) to the Schedule 14D-9/A filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on January 9, 2015).* |
| (b)(1) | Bridge Loan Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and between Santander Bank, N.A., as Lender, and MF Merger Sub Corp., as Borrower.* |
| (b)(2) | Credit Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among Santander Bank, N.A., as Agent, the Lenders party thereto, MF2 Holdings LLC and TimePayment Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 to the Current Report on Form 8-K/A filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 18, 2014).* |
| (b)(3) | Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among Santander Bank, N.A., as Agent, the Lenders party thereto, MF2 Holdings LLC and TimePayment Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 to the Current Report on Form 8-K/A filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 18, 2014).* |
| (b)(4) | Escrow Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among Santander Bank, N.A., MF2 Holdings LLC, TimePayment Corp. and BNY Mellon, N.A. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 to the Current Report on Form 8-K/A filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 18, 2014).* |
| (d)(1) | Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among MF Merger Sub Corp., MF Parent LP and MicroFinancial Incorporated (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 16, 2014).* |
| (d)(2) | Commitment Letter, dated as of December 13, 2014, delivered by Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund III (A) LP, Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund III (B) LP, Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund III (C) L.P., Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund III (D) L.P. and Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund III (E) LP to MF Parent LP.* |
| (d)(3) | Tender and Support Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among MF Parent LP, MF Merger Sub Corp., Torrence C. Harder, Torrence C. Harder Revocable Trust of 2006, Ashley |

| | J. Harder 2000 Irrevocable Trust, Lauren E. Harder 2001 Irrevocable Trust, Entrepreneurial Ventures, Inc., Harder Family 2011 LLC, Brian E. Boyle, Peter R. Bleyleben, Peter R Bleyleben Revocable Trust, Fritz von Mering and Alan Zakon.* |
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| (d)(4) | Contribution, Non-Tender and Support Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2014, by and among MF Parent LP, Richard F. Latour, James R. Jackson, Jr. and Steven J. LaCreta.* |
| (d)(5) | Amended and Restated Employment Agreement by and between MicroFinancial Incorporated and Richard F. Latour, dated December 13, 2014 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 16, 2014).* |
| (d)(6) | Amended and Restated Employment Agreement by and between MicroFinancial Incorporated and James R. Jackson, Jr., dated December 13, 2014 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 16, 2014).* |
| (d)(7) | Amended and Restated Employment Agreement by and between MicroFinancial Incorporated and Steven J. LaCreta, dated December 13, 2014 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by MicroFinancial Incorporated on December 16, 2014).* |
| (d)(8) | Letter Agreement between MicroFinancial Incorporated and Fortress Investment Group LLC, dated July 25, 2014.* |
| (g) | None. |
| (h) | None. |
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* Previously filed.