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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of F MITCHELL M CHR	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HANMI FINANCIAL CORP [HAFC]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
3660 WILSHIRE BC	(First) DULEVARD, PI		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2006						Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below)	her (specify belo	w)	
LOS ANGELES, CA	4	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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	(Instr. 8)	ion V	4. Securi (A) or Di (Instr. 3, Amount	4 and 5) (A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

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			3A. Deemed	4.		5. Numbe		6. Date Exerci		7. Title and			9. Number of		11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	of Deriva	itive	Expiration Dat	e	of Underlyin	ıg	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Securitie	s	(Month/Day/Y	ear)	Securities		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Acquired	(A)			(Instr. 3 and	4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					or Dispos	sed						Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					of (D)							Following	Direct (D)	
						(Instr. 3,	4,						Reported	or Indirect	
						and 5)							Transaction(s)	(I)	
											Amount		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
								_			or				
									Expiration		Number				
								Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				
Stock Option	\$ 21.63	11/15/2006		А		24,000		11/15/2007	11/14/2016	Common Stock	24,000	\$ 0	44,000	D	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MITCHELL M CHRISTIAN 3660 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD PENTHOUSE "A" LOS ANGELES, CA 90010	Х					

## Signatures

/s/M. Christian Mitchell	11/17/2006	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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