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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Pe RHO JOSEPH K	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			
(Last) (First) 3660 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, PENTHOUSH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2012						Officer (give title below)	Other (specify b	pelow)
(Street) LOS ANGELES, CA 90010	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)	Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securi (A) or D (Instr. 3, Amount	4 and 5 (A) or	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock	03/14/2012		S		2,289	D	¢	364,566 ( <u>1)</u>	D	

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)														
Security	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio Code	on	5.	ber ative ities ired	6. Date Exer and Expiration (Month/Day)	rcisable on Date /Year)	7. Tit Amou Unde Secur	unt of rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial
						of (D) (Instr 4, and	. 3,						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RHO JOSEPH K 3660 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD PENTHOUSE "A" LOS ANGELES, CA 90010	Х						

# Signatures

/s/ Joseph K. Rho	03/14/2012
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) Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned reflects the 1-for-8 reverse stock split, which became effective on December 19, 2011.

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