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| March 02, 20 | | | | | | | | | OMB A | PPROVAL | |
| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 | | | | | | | | 3235-0287 | | | |
| Check this if no long subject to Section 16 Form 4 or | F CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNE SECURITIES | | | | | | Expires: Estimated a burden hou response | irs per | | | |
| Form 5 obligation may conti <i>See</i> Instru 1(b). | ^s nue. Section 17(| a) of the | | ility Hold | ing Com | pany | Act o | ge Act of 1934, f 1935 or Sectio 40 | 'n | | |
| (Print or Type R | esponses) | | | | | | | | | | |
| ATKINSON SUE G Syn PID | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC [PNFP] | | | | g | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2010 | | | | | X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | |
| | | | | mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| NASHVILL | E, TN 37201 | | | | | | | Form filed by M Person | More than One Ro | eporting | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-De | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Instr. 3) any | | 3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) | | | | SecuritiesHBeneficially(OwnedHFollowing(ReportedH | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Indirect Beneficial | | |
| PNFP | | | | Code V | | or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/27/2010 | | | А | 1,323 (1) | А | \$0 | 44,817 | 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)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | 7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr. | int of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Addr | ess | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|------------|---------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| ATKINSON SUE G 211 COMMERCE STREET SUITE 300 NASHVILLE, TN 37201 | X | | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | |
| /s/ Sue G. Atkinson | 03/01/2010 | | | | | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of | Date | | | | | | | |

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

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) Restricted shares with restrictions that lapse on the one year anniversary date of the issuance of shares based on attendance at Pinnacle Board and Committee meetings to which the above-named officer serves.

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