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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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8.00% Series

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(Print or Type Re	sponses)										
1. Name and Ada Malamed Ada	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LADENBURG THALMANN FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. [LTS]				-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 4400 BISCAN	(First) YNE BLVD.,	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/10/2019					_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive VP and COO			
	(Street)		4. If Amend Filed(Month					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	rivative Sec	urities	Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Benefici	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execut any	emed ion Date, if n/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a	osed c		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/10/2019			A	275,000 (1)	A	\$0	1,522,517	D		
Common Stock								5,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC IRA for the benefit of Adam	

Malamed

 $4,000^{(2)}$

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Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock

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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amoun		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Malamed Adam Scott

4400 BISCAYNE BLVD., 12TH FLOOR X Executive VP and COO MIAMI, FL 33137

Signatures

/s/ Adam S.
Malamed

**Signature of Date

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 of common stock issued pursuant to the issuer's Amended and Restated 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan. Restricted shares vest in four equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant provided Mr. Malamed is then still

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an employee or director of the issuer, subject to earlier vesting upon his death or disability or a change of control of the issuer.

The 8.00% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock is convertible into common stock at a non-fixed conversion rate in connection with a change of control as described in the issuer's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 24, 2013.

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