Morimoto David
Form 4
August 16, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Morimoto David	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP [CPF]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _____ Director _____ 10% Owner __X__ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below) below) EVP, CFO & Treasurer
(Last) (First) (Middle) 220 SOUTH KING ST	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2017	
(Street)	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
HONOLULU, HI 96813		
(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock [(1)]	08/15/2017		F[(2)]		394	D	$ 29.81	4,643	D	
Common Stock [(3)]								1,402	D	
Common Stock [(4)]								1,340	D	
Common Stock								255	D	
Common Stock								7,005	D	

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Common Stock		2,399	D
Common Stock [5]		552	D
Common Stock [6]		3,232	D
Common Stock [7]		1,949	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Morimoto David 220 SOUTH KING ST HONOLULU, HI 96813			EVP, CFO & Treasurer	

Signatures

/s/ Stacey L. Rocha, attorney-in-fact for David Morimoto	08/16/2017
__**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)   RSU time-based grant 8/17/15, with 5-year vesting schedule, whereby shares to vest in equal increments over 5-years.

(2)   Shares used to cover taxes for vested shares

(3)   2/15/17 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest evenly over 3 years

(4)   2/16/16 RSU Time-Based Grant. Shares vest equally over 3 years.

(5)   RSU time-based grant 2/15/15. Vesting schedule: 243-2/15/16; 242-2/15/17; 243-2/15/18

(6)   RSU time-based grant 5/15/14. Outstanding balance as of 7/1/15. Vesting schedule: 1,000-5/15/16; 1,000-5/15/17; 1,000-5/15/18; 1,000-5/15/19

(7)   RSU time-based grant 5/2/11. Outstanding balance as of 7/1/15. 3,710 shares to vest on 5/2/16

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