ARROW FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REISMAN RICHARD J DMD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARROW FINANCIAL CORP [AROW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) 9 ST. ANDR	(Last) (First) (Middle) 9 ST. ANDREWS DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2011	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
(Street) QUEENSBURY, NY 12804			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 Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/26/2011		<u>J(1)</u>	0	A	\$0	19,998 (2)	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2011		<u>J(1)</u>	0	A	\$0	439	I	By Wife in DRIP

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)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.47	01/26/2011		A	944	(3)	01/26/2021	Common Stock	944	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
REISMAN RICHARD J DMD 9 ST. ANDREWS DRIVE QUEENSBURY, NY 12804	X						

Signatures

Thomas J. Murphy, Attorney in Fact 01/27/2011

**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.
- Following the reported transaction, total direct holdings include 2,060 shares held with broker through Jan. 26, 2011; 9,378 shares acquired under the Company's DRIP includes 83 shares acquired through Jan. 26, 2011; and 8,560 shares acquired under the Company's ESPP includes 114 shares acquired through Jan. 26, 2011. Total direct holdings include 569 shares resulting from the Company's 3% stock dividend distributed on Sept. 29, 2011.
- (3) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on January 26, 2012.

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