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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>JOHNSTON STEVEN J</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD</u>  (Street) <u>FAIRFIELD OH 45014-5141</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP [ CINF ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  <u>Chairman &amp; CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/20/2023</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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								175,888	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Performance Stock Units	\$0.00	02/20/2023		A		28,818		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	28,818	\$0.00	28,818	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	02/20/2023		A		2,402		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,402	\$0.00	2,402	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$125.57	02/20/2023		A		47,338		02/20/2024 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/20/2033 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	47,338	\$125.57	47,338	D	
Phantom Stock Shares	\$0.00							(4)	(4)	Common Stock	162,624		162,624	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The restricted stock units vest March 1, 2026, as set forth in the grant agreement, if performance goals are met. The number of restricted stock units shown is the maximum number of such units that may vest.
2. The restricted stock units vest in three annual installments on March 1, as set forth in the grant agreement, if service requirements are met.
3. The option vests in three installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
4. The reported phantom stock shares were acquired under the company's Top Hat Savings Plan, an "Excess Benefits Plan" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3(b)(2), and are to be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service. The reporting person may transfer the value of his phantom stock shares into an alternative investment selection within the plan.

Remarks:

/s/ Steven J Johnston02/22/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting PersonDate

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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