

Discover Financial Services  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Corley Kathryn McNamara

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2500 LAKE COOK ROAD  
(Street)

RIVERWOODS, IL 60015

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Discover Financial Services [DFS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/02/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP,General Counsel&Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Common Stock	07/02/2007		A		78,889 (1)	A	(2) 90,768.39 (3) D
Common Stock	07/02/2007		A		107,690 (1)	A	\$ 0 (3) 198,458.39 D
Common Stock							2,119.01 (4) I By ESOP

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)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 12.13	07/02/2007		A		4,001		(5)	01/02/2009	Common Stock	4,001
Employee Stock Option	\$ 20.47	07/02/2007		A		11,293		(5)	01/02/2010	Common Stock	11,293
Employee Stock Option	\$ 22.24	07/02/2007		A		13,015		(5)	01/02/2011	Common Stock	13,015
Employee Stock Option	\$ 19.41	07/02/2007		A		11,011		(5)	01/02/2012	Common Stock	11,011
Employee Stock Option	\$ 14.49	07/02/2007		A		25,886		(5)	01/02/2013	Common Stock	25,886
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.87	07/02/2007		A		21,459		(5)	01/02/2014	Common Stock	21,459
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.94	07/02/2007		A		30,043		(5)	01/02/2008	Common Stock	30,043
Employee Stock Option	\$ 26.68	07/02/2007		A		6,537		(6)	12/12/2016	Common Stock	6,537

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

Corley Kathryn McNamara  
2500 LAKE COOK ROAD  
RIVERWOODS, IL 60015

SVP, General  
Counsel & Secretary

## Signatures

/s/ Simon B. Halfin as Attorney-in-Fact for Kathryn McNamara  
Corley

07/05/2007

\_\_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) Restricted stock units that are convertible into shares of common stock at a ratio of 1 to 1.
- (2) These restricted stock units were granted by the issuer in replacement of 26,852 restricted stock units of Morgan Stanley in connection with the spin-off of the issuer by Morgan Stanley (the "Spin-Off").
- (3) Includes shares of common stock acquired in the Spin-Off.
- (4) These shares of common stock were acquired in the Spin-Off.
- (5) This option is fully exercisable.
- (6) This option vests in two equal annual installments beginning on December 12, 2008.
- (7) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 1,362 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$35.65.
- (8) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 3,844 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$60.14.
- (9) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 4,430 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$65.34.
- (10) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 3,748 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$57.03.
- (11) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 8,811 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$42.56.
- (12) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 7,304 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$55.45.
- (13) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 10,226 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$55.64.
- (14) In connection with the Spin-Off, this option was granted by the issuer in replacement of an option to purchase 2,225 shares of common stock of Morgan Stanley at an exercise price of \$78.40.

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