FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Van Praag Michael | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol StoneCastle Financial Corp. [BANX] | | | | | | | | | all app Direc | tor | ng Pei | 10% O | wner | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O STONECASTLE FINANCIAL CORP. | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2021 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title below) | | | Other (below) | specify | | |
| 100 FILLMORE STREET, SUITE 325 | | | | | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | | |
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| | | Table | I - No | n-Deriva | tive S | Secui | rities | Acq | uired, | Dis | posed of | , or E | Benefic | cially | Own | ed | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day) | | | | | Execution Date, | | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | | 4 and Securi Benefi | | ties Fe cially (E d Following (I) | | wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) ((D) | Pric | e | Transa | unsaction(s) str. 3 and 4) | | | (11150.4) | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | 2021 | | | P | | 5,000 | A | \$1 | 9.85 10,000 | | 0,000 | | 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) | if any | emed ion Date, /Day/Year) | | saction e (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares | | Der Sec (Ins | Price of ivative urity str. 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) | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Michael Van Praag

04/05/2021

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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