Corley Kathryn McNamara Form 4 October 13, 2009

## FORM 4

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Common

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Stock

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10/09/2009

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Corley Kathryn McNamara	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
	Discover Financial Services [DFS]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner				
2500 LAKE COOK ROAD	10/09/2009	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
		EVP,General Counsel&Secretary				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)				
	·	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
RIVERWOODS, IL 60015		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Dee	emed 3. 4. Securities Acquired	d 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of				
Security (Month/Day/Year) Executi	on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D	O) Securities Ownership Indirect				
(Instr. 3) any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial				
(Month	Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	Owned (D) or Ownership				
		Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
		Reported (Instr. 4)				

or

(D)

Price \$

16.52

(1)

Amount

30,000 D

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

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

258,272.39

2,197.81

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Other Officer

Corley Kathryn McNamara 2500 LAKE COOK ROAD RIVERWOODS, IL 60015

EVP, General Counsel & Secretary

### **Signatures**

Simon Halfin as Attorney-in-Fact for Kathryn McNamara Corley

10/13/2009

\*\*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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.41 to \$16.63, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Discover Financial Services, any security holder of Discover Financial Services, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 1 to this Form 4.

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