SCHIFF THOMAS R

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHIFF THOMAS R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP [CINF]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 6200 SOUT	(Last) (First) (Middle) 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2009					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
FAIRFIEL	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)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ally Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Executio any (Month/I			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			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)			
Common Stock	01/16/2009			G	V	88,043	D	\$ 0	2,756,177 (1)		By Charitable Lead Annuity Trust	
Stock									1,367,693	D		
Common Stock									700,000	I	By Grantor Retained Annuity	

Trust

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Common Stock	124,249	I	By Schiff Agency
Common Stock	107,186	I	By Schiff Agency Pension Plan
Common Stock	0	I	By Schiff Trust

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10%
Officer Other

Director Owner Officer Other

SCHIFF THOMAS R 6200 SOUTH GILMORE RD X FAIRFIELD, OH 45014-5141

Signatures

/s/ Thomas R. 02/09/2009 Schiff

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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) Shares are gifted quarterly from the Charitable Lead Annuity Trust.

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