## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Hamill Patrick H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>First Western Financial Inc</u> [ MYFW ]								(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (M	Aiddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2023										er (give title		Other (sbelow)	
1900 16TH STREET, SUITE 1200			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) DENVE	R CO	) 8	0202										<ul> <li>Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> <li>Person</li> </ul>					
(City)	(St	ate) (Z	Zip)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication													
					Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is interest satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.								ended to					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)       2. Transac         Date       (Month/Date)			Execution Date,		Date,	Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. and 5)			ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amo Securi Benefi Owneo Follow	icially d		n: Direct r ect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			,			
Common	Common Stock 08/01/2			2023		A		1,208(1	)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	16	61,589 D		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)		5. Number of Oprivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		vative vities vired r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		) (	B. 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 Exercisa	ıble	Expiration Date	Title	or Nun of						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents restricted stock units that vest in five substantially equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2024, subject to the continued service of the reporting person.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Julie A. Courkamp,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

08/03/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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