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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant To Section 13 OR 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 4, 2019

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State **001-09305** (Commission

43-1273600 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number) One Financial Plaza

Identification No.)

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501 North Broadway

St. Louis, Missouri 63102-2102

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code): (314) 342-2000

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On February 4, 2019, the Compensation Committee (the Committee) of the Board of Directors approved the Stifel Financial Corp. Wealth Accumulation Plan 2019 Restatement (the Plan) that modifies certain provisions and completely restates previously filed Plan documents.

The foregoing description of the Plan does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Plan, a copy of which is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 10.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

On February 4, 2019, the Committee approved a form of restricted stock unit award agreement and a form of deferred award agreement under the Stifel Financial Corp. 2001 Incentive Stock Plan (2018 Restatement), which are attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibits 10.2 and 10.3, respectively, and are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
10.1	Stifel Financial Corp. Wealth Accumulation Plan 2019 Restatement
10.2	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement (Performance RSUs)
10.3	Form of Deferred Award Agreement

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

STIFEL FINANCIAL CORP.

Date: February 6, 2019 By: /s/ James M. Marischen

Name: James M. Marischen Title: *Chief Financial Officer*