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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Hallee Garry W.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Financial Engines, Inc. [FNGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
1050 ENTERPRISE WAY, 3RD FLOOR	(Month/Day/Year) 09/10/2012	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Technology & Svc Delivery			
(Street)	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			
SUNNYVALE, CA 94089		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) tiomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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	09/10/2012	09/10/2012	Code V M	Amount 10,000	(D)	Price \$ 7.5	40,000	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012	09/10/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 22.2242 (2)	30,000	D	
Common Stock							39,066	I	The Hallee Living 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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.5	09/10/2012	09/10/2012	M		10,000	(3)	09/19/2016	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hallee Garry W. 1050 ENTERPRISE WAY 3RD FLOOR SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

EVP, Technology & Svc Delivery

Signatures

Joanne E. Burns, Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- (1) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 25, 2012.
- The price reported in Col 4 is a weighted average sale price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.96 to \$22.38, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request, Financial Engines, Inc., any shareholder thereof, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commisson, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(3) The option award is fully vested.

Reporting Owners 2

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