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Form 4

October 09, 2002

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  
Finnerty, Corinne R.  
P.O. Box 90  
North Vernon, IN 47265
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
First Financial Bancorp (FFBC)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)  
309-64-9714
4. Statement for Month/Year  
10/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  
 Director                       10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)    Other (specify below)
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TABLE I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amou Secu Bene Owe End Mont		
			Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	
Common Stock								317
Common Stock								20086
FFBC (Directors Fee Stock Plan)	10/07/2002	P			140	A	\$18.2500	2102

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Deriv- ative Security	3. Transac- tion Date (Month/ Day/Year)	4. Transac- tion Code	5. Acquired (A) Disposed (D)	6. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) Disposed (D)	7. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities or Number of Shares
1998 (NQ) Stock Option		\$21.5958				04/28/2008	Common Stock

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2001 (NQ) \$15.6  
Stock Option

04/24/2011 Common  
Stock

Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON  
/s/ Terri J. Ziepfel

DATE  
10/07/2002