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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print of Type Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Per BEINSTEIN HENRY C	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LADENBURG THALMANN FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. [LTS]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_Director _Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) C/O GAGNON SECURITIES, 1 THE AMERICAS		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/07/2017									
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10019		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) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquirate						uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	r. 3) Date Execution Date, if Code (A) or Disposed of (I (Month/Day/Year) any (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial					
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/07/2017		М		20,000	А	\$ 2.3	152,143	D		
Common Stock								1,532	Ι	Held by Spouse's IRA	

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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction of		Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect		
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	e Derivative		(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	<ol><li>Securities</li></ol>				Securities		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership	
	Derivative					Acquired			(Instr. 3 and 4)				Security:	(Instr. 4)	
	Security					(A)							0	Direct (D)	
						-	osed of						1	or Indirect	
						(D)							Transaction(s)		
						· ·	(Instr. 3, 4,					(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					_	and	5)								
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								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable	Date		Number				
				0.1	* 7	(A)					of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				-
Stock															
Option	<b>*</b> • • •	0.000.0017					20.000	0.000	06/20/2017	Common Stock	20.000	¢ 0	0	D	
(Right to	\$ 2.3	06/07/2017		М			20,000	06/29/2008	06/28/2017	Stock	20,000	\$ 0	0	D	
Buy)										Stock					
Duy)															

# **Reporting Owners**

Demostine Ormen Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BEINSTEIN HENRY C C/O GAGNON SECURITIES 1370 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10019	Х						

### Signatures

/s/ Henry C. Beinstein	06/08/2017
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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