

FIRST BUSINESS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROPELLA JAMES F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRST BUSINESS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. [FBIZ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
401 CHARMANY DRIVE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/01/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SR VP and CFO

MADISON, WI 53719

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/01/2016		D	8,890 D 11 32,924		D	
Common Stock					20,600	I	By IRA
Common Stock					510	I	By Spouse

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	04/01/2016		A	8,890	(1) (1)	Common Stock	8,890

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROPELLA JAMES F 401 CHARMANY DRIVE MADISON, WI 53719			SR VP and CFO	

## Signatures

Kathy A. Hayes (pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed)

04/05/2016

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) Mr. Ropella entered into a Restricted Stock Unit Agreement with First Business Financial Services, Inc. (the "Company") as of April 1, 2016 pursuant to the Company's 2012 Equity Incentive Plan whereby the Company granted to Mr. Ropella 8,890 Restricted Stock Units in exchange for the simultaneous cancellation of his Restricted Stock Agreements and the cancellation of the 8,890 restricted shares issued thereunder that had not yet vested.

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