FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BUSCH PATRICK F						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HBT Financial, Inc. [ HBT ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
l	ast) (First) (Middle) /O HBT FINANCIAL, INC. 01 N. HERSHEY ROAD				02/0	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     02/01/2024      If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Officer (give title Other (specifical below)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applical Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person					olicable
(Street)	(Street) BLOOMINGTON IL 61704					1- 40	\. <b>.</b> .	47-	\ <b>T</b>		- t' 1 1		Form filed by Orle Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)				Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yo				Execution Date,		3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 au				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 02/01/20						24			F		432(1)	D	\$19.81	57,418		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value														192,	561	]	I	Patri Busc Decl of Tr dated 5/6/1	ch laration rust d
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)	Exec if any	Deemed cution Date,	4. Transa	4. 5. Number of Derivative				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			e and int of ities rlying ative ity (Instr. 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Owners Form: Direct ( or Indir (I) (Inst	hip ( E D) ( ect (	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents shares withheld to satisfy the tax obligation on vested restricted stock units.

## Remarks:

/s/ Renee K. Fehr, Attorneyin-Fact

02/05/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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