FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Whynott Paul					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Synchrony Financial [ SYF ]									(Check	tionship of R all applicabl Director Officer (gi	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SYNCHRONY FINANCIAL 777 LONG RIDGE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2020									_ x	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  See remarks				
(Street) STAMFORD (City)	CT (State)	06: (Zip	902		4. If /	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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Date				Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Dividend Equivalent Unit 11/1					12/2020			Α		301(1)		A	\$29.11 <sup>(1)</sup>	83,270		D			
Common Stock 11/1					12/202	2/2020		S		20,000	000 <sup>(2)</sup> D \$		\$28.92(3)	63,2	63,270				
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		3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)	ite,	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te Securities Underly		derlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Owner Form Direct or Inc (I) (In	t (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Explanation of Res					Code	v	(A) (D)				Expiration Date Title			Amount or Number of Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)	on(s)		

- 1. Represents dividend equivalent units accrued on November 12, 2020 as dividends were paid on the common shares underlying restricted stock units. The dividend equivalent units vest proportionately with and are subject to settlement and expiration upon the same terms as the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Synchrony Financial common stock.
- 2. This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on July 24, 2020.
- 3. This price is a weighted average price. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each price will be provided upon request.

## Remarks:

EVP Chief Risk Officer

/s/ Danielle Do as attorney in fact 11/16/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- $^{\star}$  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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