

NICHOLSON ROBERT K III  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 NICHOLSON ROBERT K III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 LAKELAND BANCORP INC  
 [LBAI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O LAKELAND BANK, 250 OAK RIDGE ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/22/2010

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

OAK RIDGE, NJ 07438

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |                                                                                         |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | (A) or (D)                                                        | Price                                                                                         |                                                          |                                            |   |                                                                                         |
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | Code                                                              | V                                                                                             | Amount                                                   |                                            |   |                                                                                         |
| Common Stock                    | 12/22/2010                           |                                                    | P                              | 19,301                                                            | A                                                                                             | \$ 11.47                                                 | 19,301 <sup>(1)</sup>                      | I | Held by Eastern Propane Corporation Retirement Plan of which Mr. Nicholson is a trustee |

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 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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                           | Relationships |           |         |       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                          | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NICHOLSON ROBERT K III<br>C/O LAKELAND BANK<br>250 OAK RIDGE ROAD<br>OAK RIDGE, NJ 07438 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

Harry Cooper  
POA  
12/23/2010

         \*\*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) D: Mr. Nicholson owns directly 51,748 shares, of which 336 shares were acquired as part of the Company DRP.

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