

BARNES JOHN P
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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 *
BARNES JOHN P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
People's United Financial, Inc.
[PBCT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK, 850
MAIN STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/16/2012

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

(Street)
BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/16/2012 | | F | 581 ⁽¹⁾ D \$ 13.54 | 274,560 ⁽²⁾ | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/17/2012 | | F | 10,086 ⁽³⁾ D \$ 13.66 | 264,474 ⁽²⁾ | D | |

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. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BARNES JOHN P PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK 850 MAIN STREET BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ John P. Barnes 01/18/2012

__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) Represents shares withheld in payment of taxes due on vesting of restricted shares. Price reported is the average of the high and low prices for the common stock as reported by the Nasdaq Stock Market on the last business day immediately preceding the transaction date.
Includes 3,097 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Bank 401(k) Plan (including 80 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment) and 3,664 investment units accrued under the People's United Bank excess benefits plan. Information is based on 12/31/11
- (2) Plan statements. Also includes 1,392 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan (including 36 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment) based on preliminary 12/31/11 Plan statement, which does not reflect annual allocation of shares for 2011 (still in process of calculation).
- (3) Represents shares withheld in payment of taxes due on vesting of restricted shares. Price reported is the average of the high and low prices for the common stock as reported by the Nasdaq Stock Market on the transaction date.

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