

SMITH JAMES COPENHAVER

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SMITH JAMES COPENHAVER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORP
[WBS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O WEBSTER FINANCIAL
CORP, 145 BANK STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/04/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman & Chief Executive Off

WATERBURY, CT 06702

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	03/04/2010		A		2,012	A	\$ 16.1
Common Stock	03/04/2010		F		846	D	\$ 16.1
Common Stock					245,087	I	
Common Stock					109,732	I	
					7,997	I	

By Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

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Common Stock			Directly by Spouse
Common Stock	5,698	I	Directly by Spouse IRA
Common Stock	63,546	I	Trust for Children

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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. Amount or Number of Shares			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 22.81					10/23/2003	10/23/2010	Common Stock	247,925		
Stock Option	\$ 29.84					12/17/2004	12/17/2011	Common Stock	61,975		
Stock Option	\$ 34.6					12/16/2003 ⁽¹⁾	12/16/2012	Common Stock	62,525		
Stock Option	\$ 45.55					12/15/2004 ⁽¹⁾	12/15/2013	Common Stock	65,728		
Stock Option	\$ 49.62					12/20/2005 ⁽¹⁾	12/20/2014	Common Stock	60,707		
Stock Option	\$ 47.4					12/20/2006 ⁽¹⁾	12/20/2015	Common Stock	47,182		
Stock Option	\$ 48.88					12/19/2007 ⁽¹⁾	12/19/2016	Common Stock	64,483		
Stock Option	\$ 32.03					12/18/2008 ⁽¹⁾	12/18/2017	Common Stock	106,199		
	\$ 12.85					12/16/2009 ⁽¹⁾	12/16/2018		213,674		

