

Powlus Lee C
Form 4
February 17, 2012

FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Powlus Lee C

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)
02/16/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Exec VP, Chief Admin. Officer

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/16/2012		A	18,383 (1)	A \$ 0 54,904 (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)**

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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)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Option to Buy	\$ 12.65	02/16/2012		A	52,884	(3) 02/16/2022	Common Stock 52,884

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Powlus Lee C PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK 850 MAIN STREET BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604	Exec VP, Chief Admin. Officer

Signatures

/s/ Lee C. 02/17/2012
Powlus

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments on 3/1/14 (50%); 3/1/15 (25%); and 3/1/16 (25%).
- (2) Includes 745 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Bank 401(k) Plan and 1,079 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan. Information is based on 12/31/11 Plan statements.
- (3) Exercisable in annual increments on 3/1/14 (50%); 3/1/15 (25%); and 3/1/16 (25%).

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