

BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/  
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# 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 \*  
Bessant Catherine P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/ [BAC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Ops & Tech Officer

100 NORTH TRYON STREET

(Street)

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

CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

(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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/01/2016		M	46,471 A \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	516,895.52	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2016		D	46,471 D \$ 13.19	470,424.52	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2016		M	88,148 A \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	558,572.52	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2016		F	42,211 <sup>(3)</sup> D \$ 13.19	516,361.52	D	
Common Stock					7,943.81	I	401(k) Plan

Common Stock	1,250	I	UTMA Trust 1
Common Stock	1,250	I	UTMA Trust 2

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
2013 Performance Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/01/2016		M	46,471	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	46,471
2011 Performance Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2016		M	88,148	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	88,148

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bessant Catherine P 100 NORTH TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255			Chief Ops & Tech Officer	

## Signatures

Catherine P. Bessant/Natalie A. Hyman POA  
03/03/2016

\_\_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) Each unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Bank of America Corporation common stock.
- (2) Each unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bank of America Corporation common stock.
- (3) Disposition of shares to the issuer to satisfy a tax withholding obligation.

On February 15, 2013, the reporting person was granted units, vesting and payable in cash based on the closing price of Bank of America Corporation common stock on the settlement date, subject to the Company's attainment of performance goals. One-half of the units have

- (4) performance goals based on the Company's three-year average return on assets and one-half of the units have performance goals based on the Company's three-year average growth in adjusted tangible book value, both beginning on January 1, 2013 and ending on December 31, 2015.
- (5) The units have reached the end of the performance period. No units remain outstanding.

On February 15, 2011, the reporting person was granted units, vesting and payable in shares of Bank of America Corporation common stock subject to the Company's attainment of return on asset performance goals measured each quarter based on a 12-month rolling period. Represents vesting and settlement on March 1, 2016 of units based on the attainment of goals for the four quarters ending December 31, 2015.

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