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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Powlus Lee C			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol People's United Financial, Inc. [PBCT]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/16/2010		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O PEOPLE BANK, 850					(Checl	ck all applicable)			Thea(worth Day, real)	
(Street) BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604					Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Exec VP, Chief Admin. Officer		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Deriva	tive	Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	y			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		Fo Di or (I)	wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect	4. Na Owne (Instr	•	
Common Stoc	ck			2,443 (1)			D	Â		
Common Stoc	1,385 <u>(2)</u>				D	Â				
Common Stock			10,000 (3)				D	Â		
Common Stock				3,859 <u>(4)</u>			D	Â		
Common Stoc	ek			4,016 (5)			D	Â		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefouned directly or indirectly.			rities benefici	ally	SEC	1473 (7-02)			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Option to Buy	(6)	02/21/2018	Common Stock	5,715	\$ 16.94	D	Â
Employee Option to Buy	(7)	10/09/2018	Common Stock	48,200	\$ 17.445	D	Â
Employee Option to Buy	(8)	01/22/2019	Common Stock	8,966	\$ 16.575	D	Â
Employee Option to Buy	(9)	01/28/2020	Common Stock	8,821	\$ 15.8	D	Â

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Lee C.
Powlus

**Signature of Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Includes 567 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Bank 401(k) Plan (including 30 shares acquired through dividend
 reinvestment) and 378 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan (including 12 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment). Information is based on 9/16/10 Plan statements.
- (2) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments on 2/1/2011 (50%) and 2/1/2012 (50%).
- (3) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments of 20% over the course of five years, beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant (10/9/08).
- (4) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments on 2/1/2011 (50%); 2/1/2012 (25%); and 2/1/2013 (25%).
- (5) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments on 1/25/2012 (50%); 1/25/2013 (25%); and 1/25/2014 (25%).
- (6) Exercisable in annual increments on 2/1/2011 (50%) and 2/1/2012 (50%).
- (7) Exercisable in annual increments of 20% over the course of five years, beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant (10/9/08).

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- (8) Exercisable in annual increments on 2/1/2011 (50%); 2/1/2012 (25%); and 2/1/2013 (25%).
- (9) Exercisable in annual increments on 1/25/2012 (50%); 1/25/2013 (25%); and 1/25/2014 (25%).

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