

People's United Financial, Inc.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Dreyer Brian F

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  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 10/30/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Senior Exec. VP

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  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 |   |  |   | (D) | Price     |
| Common Stock                    | 10/30/2008                           |  | S                              |   |   | 50,177 | D   | 16,7255<br><u>(1)</u>                                    | 276,773 <u>(2)</u>                                    | D   |           |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |        |   |  | 15,213  | I   | By Spouse |

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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5) |
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| Dreyer Brian F<br>PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK<br>850 MAIN STREET<br>BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604 |               |           | Senior Exec. VP |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Eric J. Appellof,  
attorney-in-fact  
11/03/2008

\_\_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) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$16.69 to \$16.8503. The reported price reflects the weighted average sales price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, People's United Financial, Inc. or a shareholder of People's United Financial, Inc. full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (2) Includes 861 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Bank 401(k) Plan. Also includes 3,767 investment units accrued under the People's United Bank excess benefits plan and 573 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan. Information is based on 9/30/08 Plan statements.

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