OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

February 08, 2017

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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67,291

82,177

42,551

5,455

Issuer

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See Instruction

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Maher Christopher

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

02/07/2017

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Stock

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		OCE. [OCF	ANFIRST FINANCIA C]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 975 HOOP	(First) (PER AVENUE	(Mont	e of Earliest Transaction n/Day/Year) /2017	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
			mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
TOMS RIV	/ER, NJ 08754				Form filed by N Person	More than One Re	porting
(City)	(State)	(Zip) T	able I - Non-Derivative Se	ecurities Acq	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 arr) (Instr. 8)	osed of (D)	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	02/07/2017			A \$ 14.55	43 291	D (1)	
Common	02/07/2017		M 24,000	, \$	67 201	D (1)	

24,000 A

14,886 A

39,626 D

M

M

F

By 401(k)

Plan (2)

Common Stock

1,718

I

By ESOP

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 Derivativ Security (Instr. 3)		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.55	02/07/2017		M		13,500	06/17/2014	06/17/2023	Common Stock	13,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.75	02/07/2017		M		24,000	03/01/2015	03/19/2024	Common Stock	24,000
Stock Option (Right t Buy	o \$17.37	02/07/2017		M		14,886	03/01/2016	03/18/2025	Common Stock	14,886
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.28						03/01/2017	03/16/2026	Common Stock	99,460

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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Maher Christopher 975 HOOPER AVENUE TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754	X		Chairman, President and CEO				

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Signatures

/s/ Steven J. Tsimbinos, Power of Attorney 02/08/2017

**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) Total includes shares of restricted Common stock that have not yet vested.
- (2) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (3) Options vest in five equal annual installments beginning on the date first exercisable.

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