OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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Section 16.

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subject to

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Devlin Michael D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol

OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP

(Check all applicable)

[OCFC]

02/14/2017

(Middle) (Last) (First)

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

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title

_Other (specify

C/O OCEANFIRST BANK, 975 HOOPER AVE.

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

22,037

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	` ′	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/14/2017		M	4,801	A	\$ 9.7	129,614	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/14/2017		S	4,801	D	\$ 29.7181 (1)	124,813	D	
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By spouse

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	956	I	By daughter A
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	956	I	By daughter B
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	956	I	By daughter C
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	51,311	I	By IRA

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercis	sable and	7. Title and A	Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction of Derivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Y	ear)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired				
	Derivative				(A) or				
	Security				Disposed of				
					(D)				
					(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
									Amount
						D .	E		or
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number
						Exercisable	Date		of
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares
	\$ 9.7	02/14/2017		M	4,801	06/15/2011	06/12/2020		4,801

Stock Common Option Stock (right to

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Devlin Michael D							
C/O OCEANFIRST BANK	X						
975 HOOPER AVE.	Λ						
TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754							

Signatures

buy)

/s/ Steven J. Tsimbinos, Power of
Attorney

**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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$29.70 to \$29.75. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the numbers of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (2) Includes shares transferred from the Cape Bank Employee Stock Ownership Plan, which was terminated effective December 31, 2016. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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