OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4/A March 03, 2017

FORM 4

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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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Lebel Joseph III

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Lebei Joseph III				Symbol OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP [OCFC]				CORP	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 975 HOOPER AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/06/2017					Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) below)				
(Street) TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2017					EVP, CBO OceanFirst Bank 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)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d 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)		
	Common Stock	02/06/2017			M	4,500	A	\$ 20.25	18,610	D (1)		
	Common Stock	02/06/2017			M	7,088	A	\$ 16.81	25,698	D (1)		
	Common Stock	02/06/2017			F	8,856	D	\$ 29.07	16,842	D (1)		
	Common Stock								9,534	I	By 401(k)	
	Common Stock								7,600	I	By Esop (2) (3)	

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Common Stock By Spouse $\underline{\underline{^{(4)}}}$

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			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)	\$ 20.25	02/06/2017		M		4,500	03/02/2008	03/02/2017	Common Stock	4,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.81	02/06/2017		M		7,088	02/20/2009	02/20/2018	Common Stock	7,088
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10						02/17/2011	02/17/2020	Common Stock	9,925
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.87						02/18/2012	02/18/2021	Common Stock	10,125
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.83						02/15/2013	02/15/2022	Common Stock	10,125
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.62						02/15/2014	02/15/2023	Common Stock	11,250

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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.55	06/17/2014	06/17/2023	Common Stock	11,250
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.75	03/01/2015	03/19/2024	Common Stock	24,375
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.37	03/01/2016	03/18/2025	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.28	03/01/2017	03/16/2026	Common Stock	37,500

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Lebel Joseph III 975 HOOPER AVENUE TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754

EVP, CBO OceanFirst Bank

Signatures

/s/ Steven J. Tsimbinos, Power of Attorney 03/03/2017

**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) This form is being filed to correct the number of ESOP shares held by Mr. Lebel on February 6, 2017.
- (4) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (5) Options vest in five equal annual installments beginning on the date first exercisable.

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