OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Maher Chris	Symbol OCEAN	Symbol OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP [OCFC]				Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 975 HOOPE	(Month/I	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2016				X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) President and CEO			
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 03/18/2016				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
TOMS RIV						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)		Code	,	l (A) c l 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	03/16/2016		A	5,060	A	\$0	29,791	D (1)	
Common Stock							4,085	I	By 401(k) Plan (2)
Common Stock							988	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	A)	Expiration Date		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)	\$ 17.28	03/16/2016		A	99,460		03/01/2017	03/16/2026	Common Stock	99,460
Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 14.55						06/17/2014	06/17/2023	Common Stock	22,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 17.75						03/01/2015	03/19/2024	Common Stock	60,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.37						03/01/2016	03/18/2025	Common Stock	74,430 (4)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Maher Christopher 975 HOOPER AVENUE TOMS RIVER, NJ 08754	X		President and CEO					
Signatures								
/s/ Steven J. Tsimbinos, Power Attorney	of	04/1	1/2017					
**Signature of Reporting Person		I	Date					

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- * 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) Restricted shares awarded. Such shares vest in five equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2017. Total includes other restricted shares that vest in the future.
- (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.
- (4) This form is being filed to correct the number of stock options held by Mr. Maher on March 16, 2016.

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