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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Issuer POPULAR INC [BPOP]						Issuer	of Reporting Person(s) to				
(Last)	(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011						(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
PO BOX 362708 Below) Chairman & CEO											
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6 Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non-De	rivative Se	curitie	es Acqu	iired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally Owned	d	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	n Date, if Transaction (A) or Disposed of Code (D)		l of	Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		l		
C				Amount		Price	4)				
Common Stock Par Value \$0.01 per share	12/31/2011	12/31/2011	A <u>(1)</u>	28,049	A	\$0	2,079,675 (2)	D	Â		
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Common Stock Par Value \$0.01 per share	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	34,077	I	By wife
Common Stock Par Value \$0.01 per share	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	1,811,520	I	Junior Investment

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)	ve Conversion or Exercise	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)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CARRION RICHARD L PO BOX 362708 SAN JUAN, PR 00936-2708	ÂΧ	Â	Chairman & CEO	Â				

Signatures

Marie Reyes-Rodriguez,
Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Acquired under Popular Inc. Puerto Rico Savings and Investment Plan in exempt transactions pursuant to Rule 16(b)(3) during calendar year 2011.
- (2) Total has been adjusted to reflect a reduction of 4,459 shares due to double counting of these shares in a prior filing.
- Ownership of 17.89% in Junior Investment Corporation, which owned 10,125,882 shares of Popular, Inc. at the end of December 31, 2011.

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