Holland H. Russell III Form 4 June 15, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SEACOAST BANKING CORP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

STUART, FL 34995

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Holland H. Russell III

(First) (Middle)

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

FLORIDA [SBCF]

C/O SEACOAST BANKING CORP. 06/15/2012

Symbol

OF FLORIDA, P. O. BOX 9012 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

EVP & Chief Lending Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

Director

_X__ Officer (give title

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

Issuer

below)

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Securi	ities Aco	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/15/2012		A <u>(1)</u>	3,547	A	\$ 1.41	43,909.895	D (2)	
Common Stock	06/15/2012		F(3)	938	D	\$ 1.41	42,971.895	D (2)	
Common Stock							55,810	D (4)	
Common Stock							521	D (5)	
Common Stock							4,106.7947	D (6)	

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Common Stock	2,000	D (7)
Common Stock	1,090	D (8)

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Rights (9)	\$ 27.36					07/06/2008(10)	07/06/2016	Common Stock	3,000
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation	\$ 22.22					04/02/2009(10)	04/02/2017	Common Stock	28,19

Reporting Owners

Rights (9)

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

Holland H. Russell III C/O SEACOAST BANKING CORP. OF FLORIDA P.O. BOX 9012 STUART, FL 34995

EVP & Chief Lending Officer

2 Reporting Owners

Signatures

Sharon Mehl as Power of Attorney for H. Russell Holland, III

06/15/2012

**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).
 - Salary shares earned by Mr. Holland and granted on a monthly basis on the fifteen day of each month (or the previous business day if the fifteen day is not a business day). The number of salary shares granted to the executive each month is determined by dividing the
- (1) portion of the executive's earned monthly salary to be paid in salary shares by the closing price of Seacoast common stock on NASDAQ on the Grant Date (with the result being rounded up to the nearest whole share). The salary shares earned were paid under the Company's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Held jointly with spouse
- (3) Salary Shares sold to Company to pay associated tax liability
 - Represents unvested shares in performance based restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan on August 23, 2011 ("Grant Date"). These awards are subject to compliance with the EESA, and will vest in their entirety on the later of: i)
- (4) the fifth anniversary of the Grant Date, provided Mr. Holland is employed by the Company or a subsidiary on such date, and ii) the Company's attainment of an annual return on equity of 10% or more for any fiscal year starting after the Grant Date, subject to certification in writing by Seacoast's Salary & Benefits Committee.
- (5) Held in Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan as of December 31, 2011
- (6) Represents shares held in Company's Retirement Savings Plan as of Mar. 31, 2012
- (7) Held in revocable trust
- (8) Held in IRA
- (9) Granted pursuant to Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan
- (10) Vests over 5 years in 25% increments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant (date indicated) and then in 25% increments on each of the following three anniversaries thereafter, subject to continue employment.

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