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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement SEACOAST BANKING CORP OF FLORIDA [SBCF] Frias Maria (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) SEACOAST BANKING (Check all applicable) **CORPORATION OF** FLORIDA, ÂP.O. BOX 9012 10% Owner Director (Street) _X__ Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) EVP & Chief Risk Officer _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person STUART, Â FLÂ 34995 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 9,910 $D^{(1)}$ Â Common Stock 10.185 $D^{(2)}$ $D^{(3)}$ Â Common Stock 5,853.7204 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock Right to Buy	11/17/2008	11/17/2013	Common Stock	2,600	\$ 17.08	D	Â
Common Stock Right to Buy	12/21/2009	12/21/2014	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 22.4	D	Â
Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights	05/16/2011	05/16/2016	Common Stock	2,900	\$ 26.72	D	Â
Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights	04/02/2012	04/02/2017	Common Stock	6,005	\$ 22.22	D	Â

Reporting Owners

	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Telutionships			
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Frias Maria					

SEACOAST BANKING CORPORATION OF FLORIDA P. O. BOX 9012 STUART, FLÂ 34995

Â ÊVP & Chief Risk Officer Â

Relationships

Signatures

Maria Frias 10/23/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Represents unvested shares in restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan on August 23, 2011 ("Grant Date"). These shares will vest in their entirety on August 23, 2016.
- (2) Held in Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida's Employee Stock Purchase Plan
- (3) Held in Company's Retirement Savings Plan as of 9/30/2012.

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