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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Dreyer Brian F Issuer Symbol People's United Financial, Inc. (Check all applicable) [PBCT] (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK, 850 10/20/2008 Senior Exec. VP **MAIN STREET** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, i	f Transa	ction(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect			

(Instr. 3)		(any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direc (D) or Indirect (I)	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)
	Common Stock	10/20/2008		S	16,491	D	\$ 17.01	333,036 (1)	D
	Common Stock	10/20/2008		S	1,032	D	\$ 17.02	332,004 (1)	D
	Common Stock	10/20/2008		S	200	D	\$ 17.03	331,804 (1)	D
	Common Stock	10/20/2008		S	700	D	\$ 17.04	331,104 (1)	D
	Common Stock	10/20/2008		S	4,154	D	\$ 17.05	326,950 <u>(1)</u>	D

Common Stock 15,213 I By Spouse

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. conNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amoun Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dreyer Brian F PEOPLE'S UNITED BANK 850 MAIN STREET

BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604

Senior Exec. VP

Signatures

/s/ Brian F.
Dreyer 10/22/2008

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

Includes 861 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Bank 401(k) Plan (including 7 shares acquired through dividend
(1) reinvestment). Also includes 3,767 investment units accrued under the People's United Bank excess benefits plan and 573 shares owned indirectly through the People's United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan. Information is based on 9/30/08 Plan statements.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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