

People's United Financial, Inc.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WALTERS KIRK W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
People's United Financial, Inc. [PBCT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
PEOPLES UNITED BANK, 850 MAIN STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2016

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
Sr Executive Vice President

BRIDGEPORT, CT 01803-4238

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/18/2016 | | A | V 8,054 (1) | A \$ 0 67,442 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 237,328 | I | By Gus & Bonnie, LLC |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Option to Buy | \$ 14.565 | 02/18/2016 | | A | 90,354 | (3) 02/18/2026 | Common Stock | 90,354 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WALTERS KIRK W PEOPLES UNITED BANK 850 MAIN STREET BRIDGEPORT, CT 01803-4238 | | | Sr Executive Vice President | |

Signatures

/s/ Kirk W. Walters 02/18/2016

**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).
- (1) These are restricted shares that vest in annual increments on 3/1/17 (33 1/3%); 3/1/18 (33 1/3%); and 3/1/19 (33 1/3%).
- Includes 7,113 shares owned indirectly through the Peoples United Bank 401(k) Plan (including 72 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment) and 1,417 shares owned indirectly through the Peoples United Financial, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan (including 14 shares acquired through dividend reinvestment). Information is based on 12/31/15 Plan statements.
- (2)
- (3) Exercisable in annual increments on 3/1/17 (33 1/3%); 3/1/18 (33 1/3%); and 3/1/19 (33 1/3%).

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