

HOOSTON DAVID E  
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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 \*  
**HOOSTON DAVID E**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
**601 UNION STREET, SUITE 2000**  
  
(Street)  
  
**SEATTLE, WA 98101**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HomeStreet, Inc. [HMST]**  
  
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/15/2012**  
  
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Executive VP, CFO**  
  
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	02/15/2012		A	5,651 A \$ 0	7,924	D	

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)**

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 44	02/15/2012		A	16,952	02/15/2012 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/15/2022	Common Stock	16,952

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOOSTON DAVID E 601 UNION STREET, SUITE 2000 SEATTLE, WA 98101			Executive VP, CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ Godfrey B. Evans, attorney in fact for David Hooston  
 02/16/2012  
 \*\*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).
- (1) Restricted stock award subject to vesting based upon an increase in the price of the common stock in comparison to the price at which common stock was issued in the company's initial public offering.
- (2) The option vests in three equal installments on February 15, 2013, 2014 and 2015.

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