

HOLDING FRANK B
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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 *			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
HOLDING FRANK B			FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARES INC /DE/ [FCNCA]	(Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
POST OFFICE BOX 1377			12/20/2011	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Executive Vice Chairman
SMITHFIELD, NC 27577				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Amount (D) Price		
					301,774	D	
Class A Common Stock					366,841	I	By: F. Holding 2010 GRAT
Class A Common Stock					538,943 ⁽¹⁾	I	By spouse
Class A Common Stock					144,226 ⁽¹⁾	I	By Ella Ann 2010 GRAT

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Stock								
Class A Common Stock					669,867 ⁽¹⁾	I		By adult children and their spouses and children
Class A Common Stock					26,430 ⁽¹⁾	I		By trust for adult children
Class A Common Stock					8,214 ⁽²⁾	I		By Twin States Farming, Inc.
Class A Common Stock					167,600 ⁽²⁾	I		By First Citizens Bancorporation, Inc.
Class A Common Stock					28,628 ⁽²⁾	I		By Heritage BancShares, Inc. and subsidiary
Class A Common Stock					100,000 ⁽²⁾	I		By Fidelity BancShares, Inc.
Class A Common Stock					46,699 ⁽²⁾	I		By Southern BancShares(N.C.), Inc.
Class A Common Stock					46,000 ⁽²⁾	I		By Southern Bank and Trust Company
Class A Common Stock					54,000 ⁽²⁾	I		By Goshen, Inc.
Class A Common Stock					627 ⁽²⁾	I		By E&F Properties, Inc.
Class B Common Stock					757	D		
Class B Common Stock					4,389	I		By F. Holding 2010 GRAT
Class B Common Stock	12/20/2011	P	110	A	\$ 176	2,339	I	By spouse
Class B Common Stock					700 ⁽¹⁾	I		By Ella Ann 2010 GRAT

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Class B Common Stock	622,776 ⁽¹⁾	I	By adult children and their spouses and children
Class B Common Stock	6,175 ⁽¹⁾	I	By trust for adult children
Class B Common Stock	45,900 ⁽²⁾	I	By First Citizens Bancorporation, Inc.
Class B Common Stock	22,619 ⁽²⁾	I	By Southern BancShares (N.C.), Inc.
Class B Common Stock	1,355 ⁽²⁾	I	By Twin States Farming, Inc.
Class B Common Stock	200 ⁽²⁾	I	By E&F Properties, Inc.

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Reporting Owners

