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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Response	s)												
1. Name and Address o PATTERSON SAM		2. Issuer Name and PNC FINANCIA [PNC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director						
ONE PNC PLAZA		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/21/2008						Controller					
PITTSBURGH, PA	4	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing/Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						uired, 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)		(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Beneficial Ownership		
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		

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	Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities		(Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(111511. 4)	
Employee Stock Option (Right-to- Buy)	\$ 63.69	07/21/2008		A <sup>(1)</sup>		20,000		07/21/2009	07/21/2018	\$5 Par Common Stock	20,000	\$ O	20,000	D	

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PATTERSON SAMUEL R ONE PNC PLAZA 249 FIFTH AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-2707			Controller					

## Signatures

Lori A. Hasselman, Attorney-in-Fact for Samuel R. Patterson	07	7/23/2008
Signature of Reporting Person		Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Grant of stock options subject to the precondition of an appropriate agreement, signed by the parties. Options generally become exercisable in three equal annual installments, beginning one year after the date of grant.

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