HOLDING FRANK B

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HOLDING FRANK B**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARES INC /DE/ [FCNCA]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

__X__ Director _X__ 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

POST OFFICE BOX 1377

08/11/2011

Executive Vice Chairman 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SMITHFIELD, NC 27577

Common

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	ve 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or 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						261,430	D			
Class A Common Stock						366,841	I	By: F. Holding 2010 GRAT		
Class A Common Stock						578,830 <u>(1)</u>	I	By spouse		
Class A						144,226 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Ella Ann 2010		

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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 <u>(2)</u>	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 <u>(2)</u>	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 <u>(2)</u>	I	By E&F Properties, Inc.
Class B Common Stock	08/11/2011	P	300	A	\$ 158	518	D	
Class B Common Stock	08/11/2011	P	100	A	\$ 157	618	D	
Class B Common Stock	08/11/2011	P	150	A	\$ 156	768	D	
Class B Common Stock						3,689	I	B. F. Holding 2010 GRAT

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Class B Common Stock	1,680 (1)	I	By Spouse
Class B Common Stock	0 (1)	I	By Ella Ann 2010 GRAT
Class B Common Stock	614,820 (1)	I	By adult children and their spouses and children
Class B Common Stock	6,175 <u>(1)</u>	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 <u>(2)</u>	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. Transac Code (Instr. 3	of D So A (A D of (I	lumber		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
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Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships			
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HOLDING FRANK B						
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SMITHFIELD, NC 27577						

Signatures

Frank B. Holding, By:William R. Lathan, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact

08/15/2011

**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).
 - The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the
- (1) reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or for any other purpose.
- (2) The reporting person is a director, officer and/or principal shareholder of the companies that own these shares, but he disclaims beneficial ownership of the listed shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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