HOLDING FRANK B

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARES

INC /DE/ [FCNCA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/17/2011

X Director X__ 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title __ Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

below) Executive Vice Chairman

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

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

SMITHFIELD, NC 27577

POST OFFICE BOX 1377

(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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or l of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	rice	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							301,474	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							144,226 (1)	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 (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	11/17/2011	P	182	A	\$ 165	282	D	
Class B Common Stock	11/21/2011	P	100	A	\$ 163	445	D	
Class B Common Stock	11/21/2011	P	700	A	\$ 172	700	I	By F. Holding 2010 GRAT
Class B Common Stock						3,356 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Spouse

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Class B Common Stock	11/21/2011	P	700	A	\$ 172	700 (1)	I	By Ella Ann 2010 GRAT
Class B Common Stock	11/21/2011	P	1,350	A	\$ 172	619,900 (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 (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

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships				
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOLDING FRANK B POST OFFICE BOX 1377 SMITHFIELD, NC 27577	X	X	Executive Vice Chairman				

Signatures

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

Date

11/21/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

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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