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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Issuer SALERNO FREDERIC V Symbol 1. Symbol						r Keporting Per	Reporting reison(s) to				
Symbol											
		POPULAR INC [BPOP]				(Check all applicable)					
(Last)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction				X Director 10% Owner					
P.O. BOX 36		(Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2008				Officer (give title Other (specify					
1.0. DOM 50	02/04/20	02/04/2008					below) below)				
	4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
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SAN JUAN,	PR 00936-2708						Person		1 0		
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	1				Securities H Beneficially (6. Ownership			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if							Indirect Beneficial		
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	ar) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			D) or indirect (I)		Ownership			
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
					(A)		Reported				
					or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(
Common Stock Per											
Stock Par Value \$6	02/04/2008	02/04/2008	J <u>(1)</u>	1,044	А	\$0	27,362	D			
per share											
Per share											

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
F8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SALERNO FREDERIC V P.O. BOX 362708 SAN JUAN, PR 00936-2708	Х							
Signatures								
Frederic V. 0 Salerno	2/05/2008							

<u>**</u>Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Award of Restricted Stock pursuant to Popular, Inc.'s 2004 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The restriction of such restricted stock award lapses upon the retirement of the director.

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