LAMB JAMES R

Form 4

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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 Ad LAMB JAM	^	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			PEAPACK GLADSTONE FINANCIAL CORP [PGC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 190 MAIN S	(First)	(Middle) DBOX 178	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2010	_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		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			
GLADSTONE, NJ 07934				Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Commen			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/03/2010		S	676	D	\$ 12.5	20,480	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2010		S	211	D	\$ 12.5	20,269	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2010		S	1,113	D	\$ 12.5	19,156	D	
Common Stock							2,684	I	Spouse

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 14.93						<u>(1)</u>	03/08/2011	Common Stock	4,074
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 27.51						<u>(2)</u>	01/09/2014	Common Stock	11,548
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 26.76						(3)	01/03/2017	Common Stock	2,310
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 23.4						<u>(4)</u>	01/02/2018	Common Stock	2,310
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.43	01/04/2010		A	5,00	0	<u>(5)</u>	01/04/2020	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
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Signatures

James R. Lamb 12/07/2010

**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).
- (1) The options were exercisable in five equal annual installments on April 28, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002 and 2003.
 - The options were exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 9, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009. On December 8, 2005, the
- (2) Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation authorized the accelerated vesting of the remaining options.
- (3) The options are exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 3, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.
- (4) The options are exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 2, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013.
- (5) The options are exercisable in five equal annual installments on January 4, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015.
- (6) Option grant has no purchase or sale price

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