People's United Financial, Inc.

Form 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Add RICHARDS N | • | ing Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | People's United Financial, Inc. [PBCT] | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| 353 PARK LA | UGHTON | ROAD | 01/25/2017 | below) below) | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) | | | |
| EAST DUMM | IERSTON, | VT 05346 | | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reportin Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - N | Non-Der | iva | tive Secur | ities A | cquired, I | Disposed of, or B | eneficially O | wned |
|--|---------|--|-------------|---------|---|------------|------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------|-------------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | | Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D | Ownership | Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2 | 2017 | | M | | 26,732 | A | \$ 15.66 | 333,364 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2 | 2017 | | S | | 26,732 | D | \$ 19.02 (1) | 306,632 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2 | 2017 | | S | | 6,000 | D | \$ 19.023 (2) | 300,632 (3) | D | |
| Series A Nonconvertible Perpetual Preferred Stock | | | | | | | | | 8,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | 4,768 | I | |

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Expiration D (Month/Day | 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 | |
| Director Option to Buy | \$ 15.66 | 01/25/2017 | | M | 26,732 | (4) | 01/17/2018 | Common Stock | 26,732 | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

RICHARDS MARK W 353 PARK LAUGHTON ROAD EAST DUMMERSTON, VT 05346

Signatures

/s/ Robert E. Trautmann, attorney-in-fact

01/25/2017

**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).

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$19.02 to \$19.025. The reported price reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, People's United Financial, Inc. or a **(1)** shareholder of People's United Financial, Inc. full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$19.021 to \$19.025. The reported price reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, People's United Financial, Inc. or a shareholder of People's United Financial, Inc. full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

- (3) Includes 146,014 investment units accrued under the Chittenden Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan (including 1,346 units accrued due to the deemed reinvestment of dividend equivalents). Each investment unit corresponds to one share of common stock.
- (4) Exercisable in annual increments of 20% over the course of five years, beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant.

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