

CABLE WILLIAM D  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CABLE WILLIAM D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PEOPLES BANCORP OF NORTH CAROLINA INC [PEBK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
518 WEST C STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/20/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP and COO

NEWTON, NC 28658  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	08/20/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>	7,884 A \$ 7.77	30,911.5068	D	
Common Stock	08/28/2012		S	7,884 D \$ 9.5	23,027.5068	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>	2,906 A \$ 7.77	25,933.5068	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		S	2,906 D \$ 9.5	23,027.5068	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>	100 A \$ 7.77	23,127.5068	D	

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 7.77	08/20/2012		M	7,884	(2) 12/17/2012	Common Stock	7,884
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 7.77	09/10/2012		M	2,906	(2) 12/17/2012	Common Stock	2,906
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 7.77	09/10/2012		M	100	(2) 12/17/2012	Common Stock	100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CABLE WILLIAM D 518 WEST C STREET NEWTON, NC 28658			EVP and COO	

## Signatures

William D. Cable, Sr. 09/12/2012

\*\*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) Exercised Stock Option
  - (2) These options vested in three equal installments commencing December 17, 2003.

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