SEC Form 4

Instruction 1(b)

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UNITED	STATES	SECURI	ΓΙΕ	S A	ND	EXCHANGE	COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Ferson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP</u> [COF]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
LaPrade,III Frank G.					Director	10% Owner			
				- v	Officer (give title	Other (specify			
(Loct)	(First)	(Middlo)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)			
	(Last) (First) (Middle)		01/26/2011		Chief Enterprise	Srvcs Officer			
1680 CAPITA	L ONE DRIVE								
				<u> </u>					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Fili	ng (Check Applicable			
MCLEAN	VA	22102		X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person			
					Form filed by More th	an One Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person				

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)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	01/26/2011		A		18,098	A	\$0.0000	89,474	D	
Common Stock								671.67 ⁽²⁾	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock								900	Ι	By Spouse

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. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Performance Share Units	\$0.0000 ⁽³⁾	01/26/2011		Α		4,308		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,308	\$0.0000	4,308	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 ⁽⁴⁾	01/26/2011		A		13,792		(5)	(5)	Common Stock	13,792	\$0.0000	13,792	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 ⁽⁴⁾	01/26/2011		A		10,595		12/15/2011	12/15/2011	Common Stock	10,595	\$0.0000	10,595	D	
Stock Options	\$48.28	01/26/2011		A		34,126		(6)	01/25/2021	Common Stock	34,126	\$0.0000	34,126	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This restricted stock will vest in 1/3 increments beginning on January 26, 2012 and annually thereafter.

2. Represents the reporting person's equivalent share ownership in the Company's 401(k) Plan, a unitized plan, as of the date of the latest reported transaction.

3. These performance shares are settled at the end of a three-year performance period (January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2013) based on the Company's relative and absolute cash return on average tangible assets against a peer group of companies. The number of shares reported represents 200% of the target award amount. The reporting person will also be entitled to additional shares representing dividends accrued on the shares issuable atsettlement.

4. Each restricted stock unit will be settled in cash based on the Company's average fair market value of the underlying shares of common stock over the twenty trading days preceding the vesting date.

5. These restricted stock units will vest in 1/3 increments beginning on January 26, 2012 and annually thereafter.

6. This option becomes exercisable in 1/3 increments beginning on January 26, 2012 and annually thereafter.

<u>Gregory W. Seward (POA on</u> <u>file)</u>

01/28/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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