## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Add SCHNALL	Iress of Reporting Per	rson*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP</u> [ COF ]		ationship of Reporting Per ( all applicable) Director	10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2011	X	Officer (give title below) Chief Risk C	Other (specify below) Officer
(Street) MCLEAN	VA	22102	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha	orting Person
(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)	3. Transa Code ( 8)				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 Price Tra		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	01/26/2011		М		35,160	Α	\$0.0000	205,186	D	
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	01/26/2011		A		23,199	A	\$0.0000	228,385	D	
Common Stock <sup>(3)</sup>	01/26/2011		A		22,222	A	\$0.0000	250,607	D	
Common Stock	01/26/2011		<b>F</b> <sup>(4)</sup>		22,206	D	\$48.28	228,401	D	

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)		5. Numl Derivati Securiti Acquire Dispose (D) (Inst and 5)	ve es ed (A) or ed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)	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		(Instr. 4)		
2007 Performance Share Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(5)</sup>	01/26/2011		М			35,160	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	35,160	\$0.0000	0.0000	D	
Performance Share Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(6)</sup>	01/26/2011		Α		14,848		(6)	(6)	Common Stock	14,848	\$0.0000	14,848	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(7)</sup>	01/26/2011		Α		24,358		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	24,358	\$0.0000	24,358	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 <sup>(7)</sup>	01/26/2011		Α		17,756		12/15/2011	12/15/2011	Common Stock	17,756	\$0.0000	17,756	D	
Stock Options	\$0.0000	01/26/2011		Α		64,352		(9)	01/25/2021	Common Stock	64,352	\$0.0000	64,352	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. These performance shares for the December 10, 2007 grant were settled at the end of a three-year performance period based on the Company's total shareholder return as compared to the total shareholder return of a peer group of companies.

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

3. The performance shares for the December 10, 2007 grant were reported at 100% target. These shares represent the number of additional shares paid out based on actual performance plus the dividend shares accrued under the same grant.

4. These shares are automatically withheld by the Company to satisfy the reporting person's tax obligation associated with the settlement of the performance shares for the December 10, 2007 grant. This is authorized in the performance share award agreement.

5. These performance share units for the December 10, 2007 grant were settled at the end of a three-year performance period based on the Company's total shareholder return as compared to the total shareholder return of a peer group of companies.

6. 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.

7. 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.

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

9. 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>

<u>01/28/2011</u>

\*\* 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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