### Edgar Filing: ABERNETHY ROBERT C - Form 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

#### ABERNETHY ROBERT C

Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

| ABERNETHY ROBERT C                   |   |               | Symbol   |  |                     |           |            | Issuer  |  |   |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---------------|--|--|---------------------|-----------|------------|---|--|---|--|
|                                      |   |               |  | OPLES BANCORP OF NORTH ROLINA INC [PEBK] |                     |           |            | (Check all applicable)  |  |   |  |
| (Last)                               | (First)                                 | Middle)       |  | f Earliest Ti<br>Day/Year)               | ransaction          |           |            | _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify   |  |   |  |
| 518 WEST C STREET                    |   |               | 09/03/2009   |  |                     |           |            | below) below) Chairman of the Board   |  |   |  |
| (Street)                             |   |               | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |  |                     |           |            | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  |  |   |  |
| NEWTON, NC 28658                     |   |               |  |  |                     |           |            | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person                       |  |   |  |
| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip)         | Tab  | le I - Non-I                             | Derivative          | Secu      | rities A   | cquired, Disposed o   | of, or Beneficia   | lly Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution any |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)  | Disposed (Instr. 3, | (A) of (E | <b>)</b> ) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 09/03/2009                              |               |  | P  | 200                 | A         | \$<br>6.6  | 133,360.0662  | D  |   |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |               |  |  |                     |           |            | 23,026  | I  | Custodian<br>of<br>daughter,<br>Natalie                           |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |               |  |  |                     |           |            | 5,453.0596  | I  | Wife  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |               |  |  |                     |           |            | 1,870.8088  | I  | Custodian of Stepson  |  |

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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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Titl | le and       | 8. Price of | 9 |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------|--------------|-------------|---|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | onNumber   | Expiration Da | ate         | Amou    | int of       | Derivative  | J |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/   | Year)       | Under   | lying        | Security    | , |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e             |             | Secur   | ities        | (Instr. 5)  | ] |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |               |             | (Instr. | 3 and 4)     |             | ( |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |               |             |         |              |             | J |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |               |             |         |              |             | J |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |               |             |         |              |             | 7 |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |               |             |         |              |             | ( |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |               |             |         |              |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |               |             |         |              |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |             |         | Amount       |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |             |         |              |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date          | Expiration  | Title   | or<br>Number |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable   | Date        |         | of           |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |               |             |         |              |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code v     | (A) (D)    |               |             |         | Shares       |             |   |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Nebulung Owner Maine / Address |               |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ABERNETHY ROBERT C

518 WEST C STREET X Chairman of the Board

NEWTON, NC 28658

## **Signatures**

Robert C. Abernethy 09/08/2009

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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).

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