Holland H. Russell III Form 5

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Holland H. Russell III Symbol SEACOAST BANKING CORP OF (Check all applicable) FLORIDA [SBCF] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2008 EVP & Chief Banking Officer C/O SEACOAST BANKING CORP.

OF FLORIDA, P. O. BOX 9012

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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STUART. FLÂ 34995

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-De	erivative Sec	curitie	s Acquired,	Disposed of, o	r 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. Securitie Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4	f (D)	uired (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/04/2008	Â	L(1)	27.8282	A	\$ 15.0801	375.8106	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	02/19/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	23.8309	A	\$ 15.0431	399.6415	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	03/03/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	30.2682	A	\$ 13.1278	429.9097	D (2)	Â
	03/17/2008	Â	L(1)	27.4185	A		457.3282	D (2)	Â

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Common						\$			
Stock						13.6158			
Common Stock	04/01/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	26.522	A	\$ 15.0188	483.8502	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	04/16/2008	Â	L(1)	27.376	A	\$ 13.8984	511.2262	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	05/02/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	26.5577	A	\$ 14.8392	537.7839	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	05/27/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	24.223	A	\$ 14.843	562.0069	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	06/02/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	28.1103	A	\$ 14.36	590.1172	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	06/18/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	30.5652	A	\$ 11.9261	620.6824	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	07/01/2008	Â	L(1)	37.8401	A	\$ 11.1245	658.5225	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	07/17/2008	Â	L(1)	29.7586	A	\$ 13.7991	688.2811	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	08/05/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	36.8498	A	\$ 11.6595	725.1309	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	08/20/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	29.7085	A	\$ 12.7052	754.8394	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	09/02/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	33.0598	A	\$ 12.3512	787.8992	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	09/16/2008	Â	L(1)	30.0965	A	\$ 13.1533	817.9957	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	10/02/2008	Â	L(1)	27.7411	A	\$ 14.5888	845.7368	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	10/20/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	30.4773	A	\$ 12.293	876.2141	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	11/03/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	30.5391	A	\$ 11.8601	906.7532	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	11/18/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	21.8287	A	\$ 8.7553	928.5819	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	12/11/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	23.1393	A	\$ 8.898	951.7212	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	12/16/2008	Â	L <u>(1)</u>	18.7412	A	\$ 10.6596	970.4624	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	12/30/2008	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	26.2396	A	\$ 8.3541	996.702	D (2)	Â
	04/30/2008	Â	L <u>(3)</u>	8	A	\$ 9.98	507	D (4)	Â

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Common Stock									
Common Stock	07/31/2008	Â	L(3)	10	A	\$ 8.05	517	D (4)	Â
Common Stock	10/31/2008	Â	L(3)	1	A	\$ 8.44	518	D (4)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	2,000	D (5)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	1,090	D (6)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	161	D (7)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	2,614.309	D (8)	Â

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 Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Rights (9)	\$ 27.36	Â	Â	Â	Â	07/06/2008(10)	07/06/2016	Common Stock	3,
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Rights (9)	\$ 22.22	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/02/2009(10)	04/02/2017	Common Stock	28

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Holland H. Russell III

C/O SEACOAST BANKING CORP. OF FLORIDA P. O. BOX 9012

STUART, FLÂ 34995

Signatures

Sharon Mehl as Power of Attorney for H. Russell Holland, III

02/12/2009

**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) Automatic allocation into Seacoast Stock Fund of Retirement Savings Plan
- (2) Represent shares held in the Company's Retirement Savings Plan
- (3) Represents reinvestment of dividends not previously reported
- (4) Held in the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan
- (5) Held in revocable trust
- (6) Held in IRA
- Represents unvested time-based restricted stock awards granted under Seacoast's 2000 Long-Term Incentive PLan on 2/2/07 which vest
- (7) in 25% increments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and each of the three anniversaries thereafter, subject to continued employment.
- (8) Held jointly with spouse
- (9) Granted pursuant to Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan
- (10) Vest over five years in 25% increments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant (the date indicated) and each of the following three anniversaries thereafter, subject to continued employment.

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