

Curtis Cheryl 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 \*  
 Curtis Cheryl D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES [bhb]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 82 MAIN STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/04/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Senior Vice President

BAR HARBOR, ME 04609

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)	Price		
Common Stock	08/04/2011		P	2,574 A	\$ 27.75	2,964.626	D
Common Stock	08/04/2011		P	2,000 A	\$ 26.99	4,964.626	D

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. Price or Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.75	08/04/2011		M	2,574	(1) (1)	Common Stock 2,574	\$
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.99	08/04/2011		M	2,000	(2) (2)	Common Stock 2,000	\$

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Curtis Cheryl D 82 MAIN STREET BAR HARBOR, ME 04609			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

Cheryl D Curtis                      08/04/2011  
 \_\_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).
- (1) A total grant of seven thousand (7,000) shares, with 1,000 shares vested as of October 18, 2006 and 6 equal installments of 1,000 shares per year vested each October 18 through October 18, 2012.
- (2) A total grant of three thousand (3,000) shares, with 444 shares vested as of February 22, 2006 and 6 equal annual installments of 426 shares per year vested each February 22 through February 22, 2012.

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