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Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Sanjiv Yajnik			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP</u> [COF]		ionship of Reporting Person all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) 1680 CAPITAL	(Last) (First) (Middle) 1680 CAPITAL ONE DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2011	Х	Officer (give title below) President, Financial	Other (specify below) Services	
(Street) MCLEAN	VA	22102	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (C Form filed by One Reporti Form filed by More than O Person	ng Person	
(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)			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)		(
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	01/26/2011		A		20,118	A	\$0.0000	113,804	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)				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) (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 ⁽²⁾	01/26/2011		Α		12,876		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12,876	\$0.0000	12,876	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 ⁽³⁾	01/26/2011		Α		20,118		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	20,118	\$0.0000	20,118	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0000 ⁽³⁾	01/26/2011		Α		12,645		12/15/2011	12/15/2011	Common Stock	12,645	\$0.0000	12,645	D			
Stock Options	\$48.28	01/26/2011		A		55,805		(5)	01/25/2021	Common Stock	55,805	\$0.0000	55,805	D			

Explanation of Responses:

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

2. 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 assettlement.

3. 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.

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

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

Gregory W. Seward (POA on

file)

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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