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Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Strickland O Jean Symbol SEACOAST BANKING CORP OF (Check all applicable) FLORIDA [SBCF] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2007 Exec. VP & Pres. of Subsidiary 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)

STUART, FLÂ 34995

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(check applicable line)

(City)	(State)	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. Securi (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	01/31/2007	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	34	A	\$ 21.95	4,479	D (1)	Â		
Common Stock	04/30/2007	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	33	A	\$ 21.75	4,512	D (1)	Â		
Common Stock	07/31/2007	Â	<u>L(1)</u>	47	A	\$ 15.23	4,559	D (1)	Â		
Common Stock	10/31/2007	Â	L(1)	53	A	\$ 13.92	4,612	D (1)	Â		

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Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	990	D (2)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	18,440	D (3)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	3,850	D (4)	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	9,428.1264	D (5)	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Number		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	An or Nu of
Common Stock Right to Buy (6)	\$ 8.7879 (7)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	07/01/1999	06/30/2008	Common Stock	18
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Rights (8)	\$ 26.72	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/16/2008(9)	05/16/2016	Common Stock	18
Common Stock Right to Buy (8)	\$ 17.08	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/17/2004(10)	11/17/2013	Common Stock	11
Common Stock Right to Buy (8)	\$ 22.4	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/21/2005(10)	12/21/2014	Common Stock	4
Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Rights (8)	\$ 22.22	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/02/2009(9)	04/02/2017	Common Stock	57

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Strickland O Jean

C/O SEACOAST BANKING CORP. OF FLORIDA P. O. BOX 9012 STUART, FLÂ 34995

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Exec. VP & Pres. of Subsidiary

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Signatures

Sharon Mehl as power of attorney for O. Jean Strickland

02/08/2008

**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) Represent shares held in the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan as of December 31,2007.
- 550 shares represent unvested shares in a time-based restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan which shall vest on November 17, 2008, subject to continued employment. Another 440 shares represent unvested shares in a time-based restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan which shall vest, subject to continued employment, in 220-share increments on each anniversary of the date of grant (12/21/04).
- (3) Shares held jointly with spouse
 - 2,750 shares represent a performance based restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan which shall vest, subject to continued employment, over a 5-year performance period beginning January 1, 2004. Another 1,100 shares represent a restricted stock award granted under Seacoast's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan which shall vest, subject to continued employment, over
- a 5-year performance period beginning January 1, 2005. Both restricted stock awards vest based on achievement of EPS targets compared to the prior fiscal year: 38% EPS growth = 25% vesting; 50% growth = 50% vesting; 75% EPS growth = 75% vesting; 85% EPS growth = 100% vesting. Notwithstanding the above schedule, 100% of the performance based awards shall vest on the fifth anniversary of the grant date if the Company achieves an ROE of at least 16.5% for 3 consecutive quarters during the performance period, regardless of whether the EPS targets are met.
- (5) Represent shares held in the Company's Profit Sharing Plan as of December 31, 2007
- (6) Granted pursuant to Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida's 1996 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (7) The form 4 filing software only allows for numbers to be expressed up to four decimal places. The actual price of the stock option is \$8.787879.
- (8) Granted pursuant to Seacost banking corporation of Florida's 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- Represents stock-settled stock appreciation rights which will 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
- (10) Vests over 5 years at the rate of 20% on the first anniversary of the date of grant and then at the rate of 20% on each of the following four anniversaries thereafter, subject to continued employment.

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