

RUE WILLIAM M
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FORM 4

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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 *
RUE WILLIAM M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP [FCY]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP, 2650 ROUTE 130
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/14/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

CRANBURY, NJ 08512

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/14/2009 | | M | 6,632 A \$ 4.65 | 120,189 ⁽¹⁾ | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 28,678 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By wife |
| Common Stock | | | | | 2,728 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By Charles E. Rue & Sons, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |

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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Options to Purchase Common Stock | \$ 4.65 ⁽³⁾ | 04/14/2009 | | M | 6,632 ⁽³⁾ | ⁽⁴⁾ 04/22/2009 | Common Stock | 6,632 ⁽³⁾ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| RUE WILLIAM M C/O 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP 2650 ROUTE 130 CRANBURY, NJ 08512 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ William M.
Rue

04/14/2009

**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) Adjusted to reflect a 5% annual stock dividend paid February 2, 2009.

(2) Mr. Rue is the President of this corporation and holds an approximate 96.5% ownership interest.

(3)

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Amounts have been adjusted to reflect the 5% annual stock dividends paid in 1999-2005; the 6% annual stock dividends declared in 2006 and 2007; the 5% annual stock dividend declared in 2008; and a two-for-one common stock split paid February 28, 2005.

(4) All options are currently exercisable.

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