

Cantrell Jeffery Richard  
 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 \*  
 Cantrell Jeffery Richard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Community Bankers Trust Corp  
 [ESXB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP and COO, Essex Bank

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 9954 MAYLAND DRIVE, SUITE 2100  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/30/2017

RICHMOND, VA 23233

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting 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) | 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code V  | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 11/30/2017                           |  | M                              |   | 9,000   | A  | \$ 1.25 12,200  |
| Common Stock                    | 11/30/2017                           |  | M                              |   | 11,000  | A  | \$ 1.97 23,200  |
| Common Stock                    | 05/22/2017                           |  | S <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 8,050   | D  | \$ 8.773 15,150                                       |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | <sup>(2)</sup>  |

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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 1.25  | 11/30/2017                           |  | M                              | 9,000   | <sup>(3)</sup> 01/19/2022                                | Common Stock 9,000  |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 1.97  | 11/30/2017                           |  | M                              | 11,000  | <sup>(4)</sup> 07/20/2022                                | Common Stock 11,000   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| Cantrell Jeffery Richard<br>9954 MAYLAND DRIVE<br>SUITE 2100<br>RICHMOND, VA 23233 |               |           | EVP and COO, Essex Bank |       |

## Signatures

/s/ John M. Oakey, III by power of attorney 12/04/2017

\_\_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) The Reporting Person sold the shares of Common Stock to pay the exercise price and tax withholding obligations of stock option exercises.

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The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.70 to \$8.80. The

- (2) Reporting Person undertakes to provide to any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (3) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on January 19, 2013.
- (4) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on July 20, 2013.

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