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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Smith Robert John Issuer Symbol ATLANTIC COAST FEDERAL (Check all applicable) CORP [ACFC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 505 HAINES AVENUE 06/05/2008 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WAYCROSS, GA 31501 Person

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transa	ctio	4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code		(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/05/2008		L	V	600	A	\$ 8.55	23,953	I	By Trust
Common Stock								7,340	D	

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year) erivative ecurities equired a) or isposed (D) nstr. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 II S
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 13.73					07/28/2006	07/28/2015	Common Stock	14,300 (1)	
Stock Options	\$ 13.7					10/11/2006	10/11/2015	Common Stock	7,150 (2)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
Smith Robert John 505 HAINES AVENUE WAYCROSS, GA 31501	X						

Signatures

/s/ Richard S. Garabedian, pursuant to power of attorney 06/10/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Represents stock options that vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on July 28, 2006.
- (2) Represents stock options that vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on October 11, 2006.

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