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1. Name and A	Address of Reporting	Person [*]	2. Issue	r Name and	Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship o				f Reporting Person(s) to		
EDWARDS	S JON S		Symbol				8	Issuer			
			Ameris	Bancorp	[ABCB]			(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check	ck all applicable)		
				fonth/Day/Year)				Director 10% Owner			
P.O. BOX 3668 09/04/2				4/2012				XOfficer (give titleOther (specify below) below)			
	Delo				EVP & Chief Credit Officer						
	(Street)		4. If Ame	nendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
				onth/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-D) erivative	Secur	ities Aca	uired, Disposed of.	. or Beneficial	v Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	24 Deer		3.			-	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution		3.4. Securities AcquiredTransactior(A) or Disposed of (D)Code(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Securities	0. Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	、 、 ,	any	,					Beneficially	Form: Direct Ben	Beneficial	
		(Month/I	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership	
								Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A) or		Transaction(s)			
				Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	09/04/2012			S	1,000	D	\$	40,128.9601	D		
Common	09/04/2012			3	1,000	D	11.85	<u>(1)</u>	D		
Common								12	Ι	Spouse	
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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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
I O	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
EDWARDS JON S P.O. BOX 3668 MOULTRIE, GA 31776			EVP & Chief Credit Officer					
Signatures								
Jon S. Edwards, by Cara P. Ho Attorney-In-Fact	rne,		09/05/2012					
**Signature of Reporting P	erson		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) This total includes 591.0382 shares acquired by the reporting person as a participant in an employee stock purchase dividend reinvestment plan.

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Any reference in the terms of the Notes to any amounts in respect of the Notes shall be deemed also to refer to any additional amounts which may be payable under this provision.