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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Herndon Daniel R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Home Federal Bancorp, Inc. of Louisiana [HFBL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HOME FEDERAL BANK, 624 MARKET STREET		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2012	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President and CEO		
SHREVEPOI	(Street))1	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Ac	equired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	O		osed of	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)
Common Stock	01/31/2012		A	11,671 (1)	A	\$0	31,353	D	
Common Stock							20,761	I	By Herndon Investment Company (2)
Common Stock							26,893.3396 (3)	I	By 401(k) Plan
Common Stock							5,033	I	By ESOP

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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)

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. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.7	01/31/2012		A	29,178	<u>(4)</u>	01/31/2022	Common Stock	29,1
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.82					08/18/2010 <u>(5)</u>	08/18/2015	Common Stock	39,6

Reporting Owners

/s/James R. Barlow, by P.O.A. for Daniel R.

Herndon

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Herndon Daniel R C/O HOME FEDERAL BANK 624 MARKET STREET SHREVEPORT, LA 71101	X		Chairman, President and CEO				
Signatures							

**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 the grant of shares pursuant to the 2011 Recognition and Retention Plan that vest 20% per year commencing on January 31, 2013.
- (2) The 20,761 shares are held by Herndon Investment Company LLC. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except with respect to his 50% precuniary interest therein.
- (3) Reflects units which represent share interests in the Issuer's 401(k) Plan. Based on a report dated January 31, 2012.
- (4) The options vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on January 31, 2013.
- (5) The options vested at a rate of 20% per year commencing on August 18, 2006.

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