

Customers Bancorp, Inc.
Form 4
January 25, 2017

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Issa Steven

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1015 PENN AVENUE, SUITE 103

(Street)

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Customers Bancorp, Inc. [CUBI]

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

01/24/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive VP and CLO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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)
Common Stock	01/24/2017		F(1)	198	D	\$ 34.34	18,588 (2) (3) D

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. 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. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 17.65					02/20/2019	02/20/2024	Common Stock	5,500
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 13.62					04/29/2018	04/29/2023	Common Stock	11,000
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 23.36					08/26/2020	08/26/2025	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Issa Steven 1015 PENN AVENUE, SUITE 103 WYOMISSING, PA 19610	Executive VP and CLO

Signatures

/s/ Steven Issa by Carlyn D'Amico under Power of Attorney 01/25/2017

__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) Shares withheld for taxes upon vesting of previously issued restricted stock award.
- (2) Includes 17,022 Restricted Stock Units.
- (3) Includes 888 shares acquired pursuant to Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (4)

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Under the terms of the Customers Bancorp, Inc. 2010 Stock Option Plan, these Stock Options will vest and become exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the date of grant, subject to either (i) total shareholder returns over the vesting period of at least 50%, or (ii) compound annual growth in diluted EPS for the company of at least 10% over the vesting period.

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