PRUDENTIAL FINANCIAL INC

Form 4

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1(b). (Print or Type Respon	nses)						
1. Name and Addres Baird Edward P	s of Reportir	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of l Issuer	Reporting Pers	son(s) to	
			PRUDENTIAL FINANCIAL INC [PRU]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify	

751 BROAD STREET, 4TH FLOOR, ATTN. CORPORATE **COMPLIANCE**

NEWARK, NJ 07102

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

02/11/2014

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

Executive Vice President

OMB APPROVAL

Applicable Line)

below)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

7. Nature of
Indirect
ct Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 4)
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		Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
ommon tock	02/11/2014	M	12,404 (1)	A	\$0	75,410	D	
ommon tock	02/11/2014	F	3,919 (2)	D	\$ 84.53	71,491	D	
ommon tock						1,637 (3)	I	By 401(k)
ommon tock						110 (4)	I	By 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)

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 torDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of S
2011 Performance Shares	\$ 0 (1)	02/11/2014		M		9,801	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	9.
2014 Performance Shares	\$ 0 (5)	02/11/2014		A	11,885		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	11
2014 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 84.53	02/11/2014		A	30,304		<u>(7)</u>	02/11/2024	Common Stock	30

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Baird Edward P 751 BROAD STREET, 4TH FLOOR ATTN. CORPORATE COMPLIANCE NEWARK, NJ 07102

Executive Vice President

Signatures

/s/Brian J. Morris, attorney-in-fact 02/13/2014

**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).
- The Compensation Committee awarded these shares, the grant of which was made on February 8, 2011, and originally reported on a (1) Form 4 filed with the SEC on February 10, 2011, based upon performance relative to the annual goals for Return On Equity (ROE) and Earnings Per Share (EPS) during the 2011 through 2013 performance period.
- (2) Represents shares withheld for the payment of taxes.
- Amount reported has been adjusted to include 39 shares of Issuer common stock acquired by the reporting person under The Prudential (3) Employee Savings Plan between March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2013 based on a plan statement dated December 31, 2013. The acquisition of such shares was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rules 16b-3(c) and 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B).
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this (4) report shall not be deemed an admission the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (5) The performance shares convert to common stock on a 1 to 1 basis.
- Represents the target number of shares to be received relative to the Company's average ROE goals for the 2014 through 2016 performance period. The actual number of shares to be received will be determined by the Compensation Committee in February 2017.
- (7) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 11, 2015.

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